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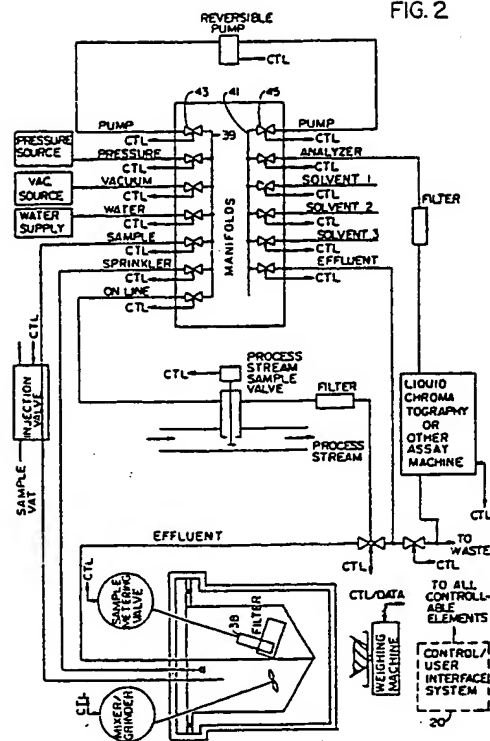
Control system for a sample preparation system.

There is disclosed herein a system for controlling an electromechanical system comprised of a number of electromechanical devices (e.g., 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, etc.) such as solenoid operated valves, motor, relays and other devices. The control system is comprised of a central processing unit (20) and control software plus suitable interface circuitry to convert the digital data from the central processing unit into suitable control signals to operate the electromechanical devices. The control software allows users to either select preprogrammed sequences of commands to be executed by the computer or to program unique sequence at either of two levels of complexity. User access privileges may be defined by the system manager such that certain users may not be allowed to program their own sequences, while other users may be allowed to program their own sequences only on the first level of complexity but not the second, while a third group of users may be allowed to program on either of the programming levels or to run the preprogrammed sequence as defined by the system manager. The two levels of programming complexity are a high level and an expert level where the command set on

the high level consists of a plurality of commands each of which represents a macro. A macro is a collection of more detailed commands from the expert level each of which represents a single operation to be performed or a very small group of operations by the electromechanical devices being controlled. Collections of these commands from the expert level are then put together in prearranged sequences to define predetermined functions of the system which may be performed by the single high level command representing that macro. The command set on the expert level is therefore comprised of commands which define single operation such as valve openings and closures or relay openings or closures or the turning on of a motor or the turning off of a motor.

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FIG. 2



CONTROL SYSTEM FOR A SAMPLE PREPARATION SYSTEM

Background of the Invention

The invention pertains to the field of sample preparation systems, and more particularly, to the field of control systems for automated sample preparation systems.

In many industrial production facilities and laboratories, there is a need to assay sample chemicals being prepared, analyzed or otherwise processed. Such samples can come in many different forms. For example, they may be solid, liquid, two phase liquid or liquid-solid, and may or may not be highly viscous. Many types of assay systems require liquid samples of known viscosity and concentration. An example would be a liquid chromatography system.

Obviously, there is a need for systems which can prepare many different types of samples for assay by such machines. Preferably such systems are automatic in the sense that after the user defines the type of sample preparation needed, the system automatically carries out this processing on samples until told to stop or until the sample preparation runs out of samples.

Because of the many different types of sample formats and because of the many different types of sample preparation processes which exist for various types of assays, there is a need for flexibility and programmability in a control system for an automated sample preparation system. The user must be provided the facility with which the particular types of samples he or she intends to process may be prepared in a process for which the steps and sequence of steps are defined by the user. In this way the user can tailor the automatic sample preparation system for use in the environment peculiar to that particular user.

Prior art automatic sample preparation systems exist in the form of robots. One particular type of robot of which the applicants are aware is a robot manufactured by Zymark. These robots may be programmed to emulate all the movements a human being would make in doing a sample preparation process manually. Unfortunately, such systems are complicated and expensive and difficult to use because of the complexity of the mechanical machinery and control computers and software needed. Thus, a need has arisen for a control system for a sample preparation system which is flexible, programmable, easy to use, and relatively inexpensive to manufacture.

Summary of the Invention

In accordance with the teachings of the invention, there is provided a control system for a sample preparation system to fully automate the system and allow users to program their own sample preparation procedures or to use preprogrammed procedures. Further, the control system allows a user acting as a system manager to define the necessary sample preparation procedures for various types of samples likely to be encountered. Then the system manager may lock out users without system manager privileges to prevent them from altering the procedures while allowing such users to use the procedures programmed for them by the system manager.

The control system of the invention allows user interaction with the system at three levels. At the first level, users may only give the sample identification (in embodiments with no bar code reader), the sample weight, the user initials, the date and time, the lot number to run, and the method of sample preparation to be followed. These methods of sample preparation will have been programmed into nonvolatile memory before the control system is obtained by the user or will have been previously programmed in by the system manager.

The next level of user interaction is a high level language level. At this level, the user has various high level sample preparation system control commands at his disposal. Such commands include fill, mix, isolate, flush, dilute, inject, wash, etc. Each of these commands represents a predetermined sequence of events which will be caused by the control system to happen in the sample preparation system when the particular command is executed in the course of performing a sample preparation procedure. The user at this level may string a series of such high level commands together into a sample preparation procedure and give it a name. Upon selection of a high level command, the control system would prompt the programmer for any necessary variables or parameters, such as solvent selection, volumes, flow rates, mixing times, etc. Thereafter, by identifying the particular procedure the user wishes to run, the same sequences of events may be caused to occur in the sample preparation system of the invention. Some of the high level commands have parameters which are accessible to the user and may be set to accommodate the particular needs of the user. These parameters allow the user to control, for example, the amount of time a mixing step is carried out and the level of energy that is input to the mixer by the homogenizer.

The key to breaking up sample preparation procedures into a series of standard preparation steps, which can be chained or re-chained together in any useful sequence the user needs to accomplish his desired sample preparation procedure, is to design the hardware and software control logic to allow each standard preparation step and each programmed series of standard preparation steps to be completely independent of the preceding or following step or series of steps. For example, upon completion of a dilution sequence or cup wash cycle, the diluent or wash solvent from a prior dilution or rinse should not be left in the instrument connecting tubings or modules. If there is such leftover solvent etc, it may inadvertently contaminate the next dilution or wash with the wrong or an undesired solvent. If this undesired solvent could not be removed from all tubings and connections prior to the next step or sequence of steps, the next step would be restricted to using a solvent deemed compatible with the undesired solvent and thereby place undesired restrictions on the next step.

At the most detailed level, the control system according to the invention provides the user access to and programmability for elemental operations of the type that are combined into the sequences which make up each high level command. Such elemental operations control individual events in the system such as the opening and closing of a particular valve, the turning on of the homogenizer, setting of the power level of the homogenizer, etc. The user may program the system at this level by stringing names. These sequences may be thought of as user definable high level commands, or "macros." The user may string any number of macros together to form a procedure which may then be labelled and executed by referring to it by its name.

Brief Description of the Drawings

Figure 1 is block diagram of the hardware of the control system and the system electromechanical devices which are read and controlled by the control system.

Figure 2 is a schematic diagram of a typical sample preparation system which may be controlled by the control system of the invention.

Figure 3 is a schematic diagram of another embodiment of a sample preparation system which may be controlled using the control system of the invention.

Figure 4 is a flow diagram of the overall control flow of the control system software.

Figure 5 is a flow diagram of the various routines of the control system of the invention.

Figure 6 is a flow diagram of the create, modify and delete routine of the control system of the invention that allows a user to create new sequences of commands at either of two levels of detail and complexity.

Detailed Description of the Preferred Embodiment

Figure 1 is a block diagram of the electronics of the control system in accordance with the teachings of the invention. The control system is centered around a CPU 20 which could be a microprocessor, personal computer, minicomputer, or mainframe. Included within the CPU block is RAM memory for storing programs and data while the computer is running. Mass storage of data, programs, and other information such as data bases, macros, user defined parameters, user defined sample processing routines, etc., is performed by mass storage unit 22. This unit could be a disk drive, tape transport, bubble memory, or any other bulk storage device with sufficient access speed and storage capacity for the particular application involved. The user controls the computer 20 through a terminal comprised of keyboard 24 and any type of display 26.

The computer 20 is coupled to the various operating units in the sample preparation system by bus 28. This bus 28 is actually comprised of the address, data, and control signal lines of the computer 20. The bus is coupled to the ports for addresses, data, and control signals such as read/write, interrupt, ready, etc. on the various drivers and interfaces to the various functional elements of the system. A more complete description of the sample preparation system for which the control system is intended to be used with is given in the following U.S. patent applications:

"System for Preparation of Samples for Analysis" by Nau, Metzger, Orimm, Nohl, serial number 942,197, filed 12/16/86 and "Sample Preparation Chamber with Mixer/Grinder and Sample Aliquot Isolation" by Nau, Metzger, Grimm, Andre, and Nohl, serial number 942,198, filed 12/16/86, both of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

Because the sample preparation system is intended for use in applications where either the samples will be brought into the system in cups or other containers with bar codes thereon or pumped into the cup through a 6-way valve, a bar code reader 30 is provided. This allows sample identification data such as lot number and batch number or other types of information pertaining to the incoming samples to be read from bar codes on the sample containers. This information may then be read by the computer 20 and stored in the mass storage unit 22 for later correlation with the

test results for that group of samples. Bar code readers are known and systems for moving sample containers by bar code readers so that the bar codes may be read are also known.

In the preferred embodiment, a network interface controller 32 is provided to allow other computers and units on a network in the user facility such as terminals in the offices of scientists to offices, program the system or inquire as to the status of a particular sample preparation routine. Further, the users may have access to the data which resulted from a particular sample run. For the network interface, this user can have the sample data resulting from the assay of a particular lot of sample communicated directly into the data based in the other computer.

A sample loader 34 functions to mechanically load samples arriving in containers. The particular design of the sample loader is not critical to the invention. It may load sample from one or more containers brought in by the user such as a tray of test tubes into the sample preparation chamber. In such a system, the sample from each test tube would be loaded into the sample preparation chamber, homogenized, diluted, and pumped through the assay system. At some point in the process, the sample would be identified either by the user keying in the identification data or by the bar code reader 30 reading the bar code on the test tube. The analysis data from the assay would then be stored in the mass storage unit 22 along with the corresponding identification data. The sample loader would then load the sample from the next test tube into the sample preparation chamber, and the process would be completed for the sample from the next test tube. The design of such a sample loader is known and a commercially available unit which could be programmed to do the job would be the PRO/GROUP(tm) automatic assay machine available from Cetus Corporation in Emeryville, California. In alternative embodiments, the sample loader 34 could be any mechanical system which could take a cup like that used in the sample preparation chamber described in the patent applications incorporated by reference and attach it to the cap. Any mechanical arrangement that can load a copy from a tray, conveyor belt, or carousel of cups into mechanical, sealing engagement with the cap of the sample preparation chamber described in the patent applications incorporated by reference will suffice. In some embodiments, this unit may be omitted altogether where sample is pumped in from a process stream or injected from a 6-way valve coupled to a sample vat. The design of suitable sample loaders which will suffice to practice this aspect of the invention is known.

There is also provided electronic scales 36 in the preferred embodiment. These provide the fa-

cility for weighing of solid samples or samples which are too viscous to pump into the sample preparation chamber where such samples are placed manually in the sample preparation chamber. The purpose of weighing such samples is to provide the user with an indication of the amount of sample that has been placed in the sample preparation chamber. This is important because the samples will later be diluted with solvents or diluent to a user defined concentration. In order to do this properly, the weight of sample in the sample preparation chamber prior to addition of the diluent must be known. The electronic scales also provide an RS232 or parallel interface to the computer 20 via the bus 28 so that the computer 20 may read the sample weight directly. The electronic scales may be eliminated in some embodiments. Without the electronic scales, if the user is dealing with a solid sample, the weight of sample placed in the sample preparation chamber must be keyed in by the user through the keyboard 24. A suitable electronic scale 36 would be the Mettler AE160 available from Mettler in Switzerland.

A pump interface 38 provides the facility for the computer 20 to control the reversible pump used in the sample preparation chamber. The pump motor may be a stepper motor or a D.C. servo motor with an optical or other type of encoder so that the pump interface circuit 38 can determine the position of the motor shaft at all times. Any type of motor with sufficient power and a system to positively control the pump shaft position or otherwise control the exact volume pumped will suffice. The pump interface obviously needs to be designed to interface between the particular type of pump motor and pump chosen and the particular type of computer 20 chosen.

Figure 2 shows one embodiment of a sample preparation system with which the control system of the invention may be used. In this embodiment of the sample preparation system, the details of the structure and operation of which are as described in the patent applications incorporated herein by reference, two manifolds 39 and 41 are used as central terminals in what amounts to a fluid switching multiplexer. Each manifold is coupled to various sources of material or various destinations in the system by a plurality of remotely controllable valves of which valves 43 and 45 are typical. These valves are typically solenoid operated or pneumatically operated under the control of the computer 20. The purpose of the valve interface 40 in Figure 1 is to electrically translate the address, data, and control signals on the bus 28 into the proper electrical or pneumatic control signals to cause the proper valve in the system to assume the proper state. Such interface circuits are well known for either solenoid operated valves or pneumatically

operated valves. For example, in the case of solenoid operated valves, a motor controller chip can decode the address on the bus 28 and a data word indicating whether the valve is to be opened or closed along with an active write signal. All these signals define an action desired for a particular valve. The address specifies which valve is to be operated, and the active write signal indicates when the computer 20 is addressing a particular valve. The data word defines whether the valve is to be opened or closed or which of its multiple states to assume in the case of a multistate valve.

The motor controller chip then activates a particular output signal line coupled to a solenoid driver such as a relay or a triac in such a manner as to cause the desired change in the state of the addressed valve.

In the case of pneumatic valves, the address, data and control signals are decoded, as above, but the activated output signal from the motor controller chip is used to control a pneumatic pressure source to either apply pneumatic pressure or remove it from the particular valve addressed.

Figure 3 shows the preferred embodiment of the sample preparation system with which the control system in accordance with the teachings of the invention is used. The difference between this sample preparation system and the sample preparation system of Figure 2 is that the manifolds 39 and 41 and the associated valves such as valves 43 and 45 are replaced with two rotary, multistate valves 47 and 49. All other details of the system structure and operation are as described in the patent applications incorporated by reference herein. Each of these valves has a central input pipe, pipes 51 and 53 respectively, which is connected to only one of a plurality of output ports coupled to various sources of material or destinations in the system. A stepper motor or D.C. servo motor with optical encoder is used to drive the valve to its various states. In such an embodiment, the valve drivers 40 are the interface circuits needed to control the stepper motors or D.C. servo motors.

Integrated circuits for stepper motor control are commonly available. These circuits allow the computer 20 to send address and data words to the stepper motor controllers after enabling the chip with a proper chip select signal. The address signals indicate which of the two rotary valves is being addressed, and the data words indicate the desired state in which the rotary valve is to be placed. Typically, these integrated stepper motor controllers have a command set. Typical commands include commands to start and stop the controlled motor, commands to control the acceleration and deceleration profiles to use, commands to control the step number to which the controlled motor's shaft is to be moved, and commands to read the

particular step at which the controlled motor's shaft is currently resident. Such chips may be used to control the stepper motors used to drive the rotary valves 47 and 49. In the preferred embodiment of the sample preparation system, these rotary valves 47 and 49 are manufactured by Hamilton Company of Reno, Nevada.

A typical D.C. servo motor which could be used to drive the rotary valves 47 and 49 is manufactured by Galil Motion Control, Inc. of Mountain View, California under the model designation DMC 100. These servo motors have optical encoders which are used to provide feedback as to the shaft position to an interface board for the Galil motor plus motor controller chips for the other remotely controlled valves in the system.

The RS232 port interface 42 may be a simple commercially available UART. The analyzer 48 may be coupled to the computer 20 through the RS232 interface 42, or the network interface 32.

The mixer 55 in Figures 1 and 2 may be an ultrasonic mixer such as is made by Sonic and Materials of Danbury, Connecticut under the trademark VIBRA CELL. In alternative embodiments, a high speed homogenizer could be used such as are made by Brinkman (shroud with a high speed rotating shaft therein rotating at 28,000 RPM, thereby creating a high shear in the liquid and disintegrating particles therein). These units come with their own interfaces which may be used for the mixer interface 44. The basic control functions needed to control the mixer are the time of mixing and the power level which controls the amount of turbulence generated in the liquid. The mixer interface will be necessary electronics to interface with the mixer control circuit for the selected mixer. The details of how to interface the computer 20 to the interface circuits that come with the mixers will be apparent to those skilled in the art. A good reference for interfacing computers such as the computer 20 to control external instrumentalities is Libes and Garetz, *Interfacing S-100/IEEE-696 Microcomputers*, (Osborne/McGraw-Hill, 1981) which is hereby incorporated by reference. An auxiliary interface 46 is provided to allow the computer 20 to control external instrumentalities such as valves, solenoids, etc. which are outside the sample preparation system. Typically, this interface will be digital, programmable ports such as are commonly available in integrated circuit form where the characteristics of the ports may be set by the user.

Figure 4 is a high level functional diagram of the control program in the computer 20 which allows users to program and run their own sequences of events to be performed in the sample preparation system under control by the control system of the invention. The control program runs the user defined sequences by generating the

proper control signals to cause the desired sequence of events to occur in said sample preparation system.

At power up in some embodiments, the system will perform a self test to verify the integrity of the system prior to performing any operations. This is symbolized by block 50. Next, the system displays a user identification request/sample identification request screen as symbolized by block 52 (hereafter references to blocks will be understood to mean reference to those source code computer instructions organized as routines and subroutines in the control program which perform the function indicated in the block referred to). The purpose of block 52 is to supply query fields on the terminal or display 26 for the user to respond to by filling in the requested data via the keyboard 24. The requested data is to identify the user, to give various data items regarding the sample, to give the date and the time and to identify the sequence the user desires to run. The data items regarding the sample to be filled in may include the sample ID, the sample weight, and the lot number from which the sample came. The user identification number is used by the control system to determine the access privileges which the user has.

The control system has three levels of access. At the simple level, the user may only run sequences that have been previously programmed by the system manager. At the high level, users having access privileges at this level may program their own sequences of events using commands from a high level language command set. These commands represent predetermined building block functions which are necessary to perform sample preparation. Such building block functions include: mix, isolate known sample volume, flush the remaining liquid out of the sample preparation chamber, release the isolated sample volume, dilute the sample volume with a user defined volume of a user identified solvent, pump the diluted sample to the analyzer, etc. At the expert level, users having access to this level may program their own "macros" using system commands at a more detailed level than the high level commands identified above. These more detailed commands allow the user to control the system at a finer level of resolution. For example, a typical command may be "open valve #1" or "rotate multiport valve #2 to state #3." Each of the high level commands is comprised of a predetermined sequence of expert level commands.

The identification data entered by the user in block 52 via the keyboard 24 is stored on the mass storage device 22 in block 54. Next the system, in block 56, determines the access privileges of the user by comparing the user ID to the list of ID numbers supplied by the system manager for each

level of access.

Block 58 represents the step of displaying an option menu by which the user, by selecting an option, may express a request regarding what the user wishes the system to do or what the user desires to do with the system. Typical menu options include: start, status, method, directory, report, load, print, system, control, defaults, functions, and options. The meaning of these options will be explained more below.

After the user has entered his or her request via the keyboard 24, the control system verifies that the user has the access privilege necessary to perform the function requested in block 60. If so, the control system branches to the routine which performs the desired function or provides the facility requested by the user in block 62. If the user does not have the required access privilege, a message to that effect is displayed in block 64, and processing proceeds to block 58.

Referring to Figure 5 there shown a flow chart of the various routines which are available for selection by the user in Step 58 of Figure 4. The first routine, symbolized by block 64, is a routine which allows the user to create, modify, or delete an operation sequence. An operation sequence is a collection of commands which are executed by the central processing unit in order to generate control signals to control the electromechanical devices in the system. The control signals cause them to perform a physical sequence of events to process a sample where the sequence is defined by the particular sequence of commands in the program. The routine of block 64 allows the user to program his own sequences of commands at either of two levels of complexity. At a first level of complexity, the user may have access to a set of commands each of which represents a specified function that the system is capable of performing and each of which causes a predetermined sequence of events to occur in the proper order to cause the physical event symbolized by that command. The second level of complexity allows the user to have access to a set of commands which are very detailed. These commands each represent a single action or a very small group of actions that one or a very small group of electromechanical devices performs. Essentially, the commands at this second level are the component commands which are grouped together in a predetermined sequence to implement one of the commands on the first level. Essentially then, the commands on the first level are macros which are collections of commands on the second level but arranged in a predetermined sequence for each particular command on the first level.

Block 66 is a routine which allows the user to print a hard copy of a sequence which has been programmed by the user.

Block 68 is a routine which allows the user to load a predetermined sequence, i.e., a method of sample preparation which has been preprogrammed by the system manager. The system manager is a user which has access to all functions of the system. That is, the system manager can define the access privileges of all the other users on the system, and he may program preprogrammed sequences which are available for certain users who are not allowed to program their own sequences. Block 68 is the routine which the user calls when one of these preprogrammed sequences is to be loaded.

Block 70 is a routine which allows the user to print a directory of all the methods or sequences which are stored in the system and available for execution. Block 72 represents a routine which allows the user to start the selected sample preparation routine and which causes the CPU to begin generating the control signals which cause the physical actions to occur.

Block 74 represents a routine which displays the system status. Block 76 is a routine which allows the user to print the system status which is displayed in the routine of Block 74.

Block 78 is a routine which allows the user to change the system default parameters. Typically, each command on either the first or second programming level will have parameters or arguments associated therewith. These arguments are variable values which define the specific manner in which the command is to be performed. For example, a mix command may have as an argument the power level at which the mix is to be performed, the time duration of the mix, and the RPM that the mixer is to use.

The routine represented by block 80 allows the user to have access to the various valve and relay controls such that the user may open certain valves or close certain relays manually by causing the CPU to generate the proper command to cause the proper operation of the valve, relay or other electromechanical device.

Block 82 represents a routine which allows the system manager to create new system functions.

Block 84 is a routine which allows the user to print a report. Such reports may consist of reports of user activity, the sequences which have been run, the volume of activity for a particular sequence, and so on. Block 86 is a routine which allows the user to change the print parameters. This routine allows the format of the report to be set such as margins, spacing, headers, and other types of formatting commands common to database report routines.

Block 88 is a routine which displays for the user the system options which have been elected and which are operable.

Block 90 is a routine which allows the user to use the print mode of the system for various functions.

Block 92 is a routine which allows the system manager access to certain system functions.

Referring to Figure 6 there is shown a more detailed flow diagram of the create, modify and delete routine of block 67 in Figure 5. The first step when the user elects to program his own sequence is to inquire whether the user wishes to program on the first level or on the second level noted above. The first level will be called the high level for purposes here, and this level will provide the user access to the macro commands. The second level will be called the expert level and grants the user access to the detailed commands which essentially allow the user to define each valve opening and closing and each operation of each motor or other electromechanical device individually. The levels are named the high level and the expert level for purposes of indicating the relative amounts of skill needed to program on these levels. Programming at the high level is similar to calling subroutines or macros on any computer. Programming on the expert level is similar to programming in source code and requires a some programming skill and a great deal of knowledge regarding the hardware aspects of the system being programmed.

The process of determining which level the user wishes to have access to is symbolized by step 94. This step also determines the user's access privilege by checking the user's identification code and comparing it to a table or other such database defined by the system manager which indicates which users have access to the high level command set and which users have access to the expert level programming command set. If the user elects to program at the high level, the next step is symbolized by block 100. In this step, the user is prompted for a name for the sequence which he is about to program. After the sequence has been named, step 102 is performed wherein the user selects the first high level command which is to be executed in the sequence. In some embodiments, the list of high level commands from which the user may choose may be displayed and the user may simply choose a command by positioning the cursor on the proper command and pressing a select key. In other embodiments, the user may be required to know the high level commands and select the particular command desired by an acronym.

As noted above, most commands have certain parameters or arguments. Step 104 represents the process of prompting the user for parameter values for the command selected in step 102. Each command will have default parameters which are set by the user in step 78 of Figure 5. If the user wishes

to use the default parameters, he need do nothing in step 104. If however, the user wishes to define the specific manner in which the particular command is to be executed, then the parameters for that command may be adjusted in step 104.

After step 104 is performed, the control software causes the central processing unit to prompt the user to determine if the command just defined is the last command in the sequence. This step is symbolized by block 106 in Figure 6. If the user is done picking commands, the processing proceeds to step 108 where the method is stored in permanent storage such as on a floppy disk or hard disk. Processing then returns to the main menu symbolized by block 58 in Figure 4.

If the user is not finished programming, then processing proceeds from block 106 to block 110 where the user is prompted to select the next high level command in the sequence. Processing then proceeds to block 112 where the parameters for the command selected in block 110 are displayed and the user is prompted for new values for these parameters. If the user responds with new parameters, these are stored with the command as a permanent part of the sequence being programmed. After step 112 is performed, step 114 is performed to again to test for completion of programming. Step 114 represents the process of prompting the user to determine if the user is done programming. If he is, then processing continues at step 108 as described above to store the method. If the user is not done programming as determined in step 114, then processing returns to step 110 where the user is prompted to select the next command in the sequence.

Returning again for a moment to step 94 in Figure 6, if the user is determined to have no access to either the high level or expert level programming command sets, then step 94 vectors processing to a step 96 wherein a "no access privilege for selected level" message is displayed on the terminal. Thereafter, in step 98, processing is returned to the main menu of step 58 in Figure 4.

If the user selects the expert level for programming, a similar sequence of events occurs starting with step 116. There the user is prompted to name the sequence he is about to define. The next step, 118, prompts the user to select the first expert level command to be executed in the sequence. Then, in step 120, the user is prompted to select new parameters for the expert level command selected in step 118. Again, the expert level commands also have default values which may be altered by the user in step 120. Step 122 represents a test to determine if programming has been completed. If it has, then step 108 is performed as described above. If programming is not completed,

processing proceeds to step 124. There the user is prompted to select the next expert level command and define the parameters for that command.

Step 126 represents a test to determine whether the user is done programming. If he is, then step 108 is performed and control is returned to the main menu. If the user is not done programming, then control returns to step 124 where the user is prompted to select the next expert level command.

Appendix A is a listing of the source code for the preferred embodiment of the invention. This source code runs on an IBM PC running the Forth and DOS programs.

Although the invention has been described in terms of the preferred and alternative embodiments detailed herein, those skilled in the art will appreciate that many modifications may be made. All such modifications are intended to be included within the scope of the claims appended hereto.

Claims

1. A control system for an apparatus having a plurality of electromechanical devices controlled by said control system, said control system having a CPU (20) wherein the improvement comprises software means (Figures 4, 5, 6) for allowing a user to cause said CPU to run any of a plurality of fixed command sequences or to program one or more new sequences using commands at any of a plurality of complexity levels where at least one complexity level is populated by commands which are macro commands in the sense that each is a concatenations of commands from at least one other of said complexity levels.

2. The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said software means includes means (Figure 6) for allowing a user to program sequences at a first level with macro commands each of which causes a predetermined sequence of events to be performed by said electromechanical devices.

3. The apparatus of claim 2 wherein said software means is also for allowing said user to modify the parameters of each command from default parameters where said parameters characterize some physical characteristic of the sequence of physical events that will be caused by execution of said command by said CPU.

4. The apparatus of claim 3 wherein said software means includes means for allowing said user to program a new sequence of commands to cause said electromechanical devices to perform at least one physical event where the commands available to the user are more primitive than the commands on said first level in the sense that each command represents a predetermined sequence of events

which is less complex than the predetermined sequences of events caused by the commands at said first level.

5. The apparatus of claim 4 wherein said software means includes means for allowing each user to be identified by a code and further includes means for allowing at least one user to define the access privileges of all the other users and encode this access privilege data such that said software means can determine from said user identification code the access privileges each said user has.

6. The apparatus of claim 5 wherein said software means includes means to allow a first group of users to have access to and to run only said fixed sequences of commands and to allow a second group of users to run any of said fixed sequences of commands or to program a new sequence using only the commands at said first level and to allow a third group of users the ability to program a new sequence using commands at either of said first level or said second level or to run any of said fixed sequences.

7. A control system for an apparatus having a plurality of electromechanical devices comprising:
computer means for allowing a user to run fixed sequences of commands or sequences of commands the user programs himself and for generating control signals during the execution of these sequences which are coupled to said electromechanical devices and which cause these devices to perform the sequence of physical operations defined by the sequence being run; and

control means for said computer means for allowing said user to select and run any of one or more fixed sequences of operations or to program a new sequence at either of two levels of complexity.

8. The control system of claim 7 wherein said control means includes means to allow a user to program a new sequence using commands on a first level each of which represents a specific function of the system involving one or more physical actions of one or more of said electromechanical devices or to program a new sequence at a second level using commands each of which represents a single operation by a single electromechanical device.

9. The control system of claim 7 wherein said control means includes means to program a new sequence of operations using commands at either of a first level or commands at a second level wherein the commands at said first level each represent one physical operation by one electromechanical device and wherein the commands at said second level each represent a predetermined sequence of said commands at said first level.

10. The control system of claim 9 wherein said control means includes means to block access by certain users to commands for programming at either said first or second levels or both.

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This block loads the entire Sample Preparation System.
 It loads all other load blocks that make up the system.
 A word called SP (or sp) will cause this block to be loaded.

PREP is the main entry point to the system, so after a power up,
 just type "SP PREP" to load and run the system. Note that
 SP will perform an 8 DRIVE before loading, so you don't have
 to switch drives yourself.

0 \ SAMPLE PREPARATION SYSTEM LOAD BLOCK
 1 EMPTY : TRUE 1 ; : FALSE 0 ; : NULL 0 ; DECIMAL
 2
 3 88 LOAD \ function key execution
 4 33 LOAD \ screen windows
 5 45 LOAD \ key functions
 6 98 LOAD \ file system
 7 117 LOAD \ task support
 8 248 LOAD \ Configuration tables
 9 126 LOAD \ status task
 10 188 LOAD \ control task
 11 57 LOAD \ screens
 12 81 LOAD \ keycode tables
 13 89 LOAD \ Join this with PREP command load
 14 87 LOAD \ main command interpreter
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0 \ TEST

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0 (Sample Prep Task definitions)

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2 300 TERMINAL PSTATUS

3 PSTATUS CONSTRUCT

4

5 2000 TERMINAL CONTROL

6 CONTROL CONSTRUCT

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8 : HALT ACTIVATE STOP ;

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10 \ 6387 PSTATUS 'TYPE HIS !

11 \ 'TAB 3 PSTATUS 'TAB HIS !

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The Status task updates the status header when things change.

The Control task is responsible for executing the user's method to control the sample preparation hardware. It is a background type task, which means that it can not use any printing words. Error messages must be passed back to the User task for display.

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1 32 CONSTANT RBUFF-SIZE \ !!NOTE!! MUST be a power of 2

2 CREATE RBUFF RBUFF-SIZE ALLOT RBUFF RBUFF-SIZE ERASE

3 VARIABLE WRPTR VARIABLE RCOUNT

4

5 CREATE SBUFF 6 ALLOT

6 VARIABLE SBCTR VARIABLE SBPTR

7

8 1843200. 1 16 M/ 2CONSTANT DIVIDEND

9 HEX : SET-HAMILTON-BAUD

10 DIVIDEND ROT M/ DUP

11 83 3FB OUTPUT 3FB OUTPUT

12 >X 3F9 OUTPUT 3 3FB OUTPUT

13 3 3F9 OUTPUT 85 3FC OUTPUT

14 3FB INPUT DROP 3FA INPUT DROP ; DECIMAL

15 9680 SET-HAMILTON-BAUD FORGET DIVIDEND

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8 \ Sample Prep precompile load block
1
2 : +P 8 +DRIVE ; \ Allows loading other local blocks
3
4 18 +P LOAD \ Pre compile preliminaries and general tools
5 \ 13 +P LOAD \ Clock and calendar words for RPSC15 chip
6 \ 12 +P LOAD \ Set Forth's time and date
7 1 +P LOAD \ Control and status task definitions
8 2 +P 4 +P THRU \ Interrupt & buffers for Hamilton valves
9 5 +P 8 +P THRU \ Interrupt driven keyboard input buffer
10 27 +P LOAD \ Error handling basics
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14
15 \ Sample Preparation System Source Code 11/26/86

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SHADGW for configurations

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8 \ Precompile preliminaries and general tools
1
2 : F2 1 SCR +! SCR 2 LIST ; \ Useful functions:
3 : F1 -1 SCR +! SCR 2 LIST ;
4 : F3 HEX ." HEX " ;
5 : F4 DECIMAL ." DECIMAL " ;
6
7 HEX IF1F WIDTH ! DECIMAL \ 32 Char definitions
8
9 : SP 8 DRIVE 36 LOAD ; \ Sample Prep System load command
10 : ASCIIK 32 WORD 1+ C2 ; \ Convert next char to ascii code
11 : BINARY 2 BASE ! ;
12 : (F) 1 TR2 ;
13 : F* COMPILE (F) 34 STRING ; IMMEDIATE
14 : INVERT ( n --- n' ) NEGATE 1- ;
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SP loads the sample prep software. Type PREP to run.

(F*) run time code for F*, returns address of counted string.

F* compiles an inline string; will return it's address.

INVERT returns the ones complement of a value.

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2 CODE SENDSER HEX
3 3FB # 2 MOV SBPTR W MOV
4 W # 0 MOV (2) OUT SBPTR INC WAIT JMP
5
6 VARIABLE CALLER 0 CALLER !
7 ASSEMBLER BEGIN 0 PUSH 2 PUSH W PUSH DS PUSH
8 ZERO # 0 MOV 0 DS LSG
9 3FA # 2 MOV (2) IN 3FB # 2 MOV 4 # 0 TEST 0=
10 IF (output interrupt)
11 IS SEG SBCTR DEC 0=
12 IF IS SEG CALLER W MOV WAKE # W ) MOV
13 ELSE IS SEG SBPTR I XCHG LODS B
14 IS SEG SBPTR I XCHG (2) OUT
15 THEN

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0
1 HEX
2 ELSE (input interrupt) (2) IN
3 IS SEG KBPTR W MOV
4 IS SEG 0 KBUFF W MOV B
5 W INC. KBUFF-SIZE 1- # W AND
6 IS SEG W KBPTR MOV
7 IS SEG 'ACOUNT INC THEN
8 DS POPS W POP 2 POP 0 POP
9 0C INTERRUPT
10
11 DECIMAL
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0
1
2 CREATE KBUFF 32 ALLOT
3 VARIABLE KBPTR
4 VARIABLE KBMPTR
5
6 CODE >KBUFF HEX
7 IS SEG KBMPTR 1 MOV 1 INC IF # 1 AND
8 IS SEG KBMPTR 1 CMP 0= NOT
9 IF 1 W MOV IS SEG 0 KBUFF W MOV B
10 IS SEG 1 KBMPTR MOV
11 THEN RET
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0
1 CODE spascii      HEX
2 1 0 MOV 7F 0 0 AND
3 IS SEG SHIFT 0 ADD 0
4 0 W MOV IS SEG KEYS 1- W) 0 MOV 0
5 0 2 MOV 20 0B 2 OR 61 0B 2 CMP 0< NOT
6 IF 78 0B 2 CMP 0<
7 IF IS SEG LOCK 0 XOR 0 THEN
8 THEN 00 0 1 AND 0= NOT
9 IF 0 0 OR 0= IF IS SEG 0 0B SHIFT MOV THEN
10 ELSE 0 0 OR 0= NOT
11 IF 00 0B 0 CMP 0= NOT
12 IF IS SEG ' >KBRUFF JMP THEN
13 IS SEG 20 0B LOCK XOR
14 ELSE IS SEG 53 0B SHIFT MOV
15 THEN THEN RET

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0
1
2 ASSEMBLER BEGIN    HEX
3 0 PUSH 1 PUSH 2 PUSH W PUSH
4 IS SEG 6000 0 OPERATOR 0 0A + TEST 0< IF
5 IS SEG MAKE 0 OPERATOR 0 MOV THEN
6 60 IN 0 1 MOV IS SEG 'KEY STA 0
7 61 IN 00 0B 0 OR 61 OUT 00 0B 0 XOR 61 OUT
8 IS SEG 46 0B 1 CMP 0= IF (Int 07) 07CD, THEN
9 IS SEG ' spascii CALL
10 W POP 2 POP 1 POP 0 POP
11 09 INTERRUPT DECIMAL
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1
2 CODE (BKEY?)
3 KBRPTR 0 MOV KBRPTR 0 SUB 0 PUSH NEXT
4
5 : BKEY?
6 PAUSE (BKEY?) ;
7
8 HEX
9 : (BKEY)
10 BEGIN BKEY? UNTIL
11 KBRPTR 0 1+ IF AND DUP KBRUFF + C0 SWAP KBRPTR ! ;
12 DECIMAL
13
14 ' (BKEY) 2- ' (KEY) !
15 ' EXIT 2- ' (KEY) 2+ !

```

PEXIT stops the other tasks, cleans up, and exits back to FORTH.
It should prompt the user before exiting.

```

0 \ Function Keys - Load Block
1
2 : PEXIT
3   " Exit System? (Y/N)" YES?
4   IF NORMAL WINDOWOFF PAGE
5     CONTROL HALT PAUSE
6     PSTATUS HALT PAUSE
7     QUIT
8   THEN ;
9
10 83 LOAD
11 EXIT
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FKEYS is the function key execution table used by the main sample prep routine. Defined function keys have routines defined in this table.

```

0 \ Function Keys - Sample Prep function key table
1
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3 CREATE FKEYS1
4 ( 88) ' ST/STP , ' PS/CNT , ' CHD , ' PEXIT ,
5 ( 84) 0 , 0 , 0 , 0 ,
6 ( 88) 0 , 0 , 0 , 0 ,
7 ( 8C) 0 , 0 , 0 , ' DESELECT ,
8 ( 98) ' -FUNC , 0 , ' +FUNC , ' SELECT ,
9 ( 94) 0 , 0 , 0 , 0 ,
10 ( 98) 0 , ' DESELECT , ' SELECT , ' SNAPSHOT ,
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It is the column offset to the left window edge (0..n).
 Y1 is the number of lines down from the top (0..n).
 WIDTH contains the # of chars across the window. (1..79)
 HEIGHT is the height of the window in lines (0..24)
 C_ROW is the absolute screen line # of the cursor.
 C_COL is the absolute screen column of the cursor.

CRTSEG is the screen memory segment address (80000)

REVERSE makes subsequent screen output reverse video.
 NORMAL restores output to normal video.

```

0 \ Windows - Sample Prep Windowing for IBM monochrome screen
1 \ Current window parameters
2 VARIABLE X1      : X10 X1 0 ;
3 VARIABLE Y1      : Y10 Y1 0 ;
4 VARIABLE WIDTH   : WIDTH0 WIDTH 0 ;
5 VARIABLE HEIGHT  : HEIGHT0 HEIGHT 0 ;
6 VARIABLE C_ROW   :
7 VARIABLE C_COL   :
8
9 11 ( 0BH) CONSTANT CRTSEG
10
11 HEX : UNDERLINE 100 ATTRIBUTE ! ;
12 : INVERSE 7000 ATTRIBUTE ! ;
13 : NORMAL 700 ATTRIBUTE ! ; DECIMAL
14 34 +P 44 +P THRU \ Load the rest of windows
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scroll scrolls the current screen window contents up one line.

'cursor returns the screen address of the cursor in register W.
 Multiplies cursor row by 80, adds column, and multiplies by 2.

'CURSOR is high level access to 'cursor.

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0 \ Windows - Screen scrolling
1
2 CODE scroll ( --- ) I PUSH
3 3 PUSH WIDTH 3 MOV Y1 0 MOV 80 # W MOV W MUL
4 X1 0 ADD 0 0 ADD 0 0 2 MOV HEIGHT 2 HI MOV 0
5 0 PUSH DISPLAY LDA 0 DS LSG 0 ES LSG 0 POP RESIN
6 0 W MOV 160 # 0 ADD 0 I MOV 1 PUSH 3 I MOV
7 REP MOVS 0 POP 1 0 2 ADD 1 0 2 HI SYS
8 0= UNTIL 3 POP 0 IS SSG 0 DS LSG 0 ES LSG
9 I POP RET
10
11 CODE 'cursor ( --- )
12 0 PUSH 80 # W MOV C_ROW LDA W MUL C_COL 0 ADD
13 0 0 ADD 0 W MOV 0 POP RET
14
15 CODE 'CURSOR ( --- n ) ' 'cursor CALL W PUSH NEXT

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clear erases screen memory pointed to by W with count in reg. I

BLANKS takes a count and screen address and blanks n chars.

(cr) puts cursor in column 0 of the viewport window, and advances the cursor line 0. If line # is beyond bottom of the window, it scrolls window contents up 1 line and puts cursor on last line. Returns cursor address in W.

?CR Tests cursor column position. If off right edge of window, it does a carriage return. W is preserved for (type).

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```

0 \ Windows - Carriage return
1 CODE clear HERE DISPLAY LDA 0 ES LSG ATTRIBUTE LDA
2 REP STOS 0 IS SSG 0 ES LSG RET
3 CODE BLANKS ( a n --- ) I POP W POP ( clear) CALL NEXT
4
5 CODE (cr) ( --- )
6 X1 0 MOV 0 C_COL MOV C_ROW INC Y1 0 MOV HEIGHT 0 ADD
7 C_ROW 0 CMP 0< IF 0 C_ROW MOV HEIGHT 0 MOV 0 0 OR 0>
8 IF ' scroll CALL THEN THEN ' 'cursor CALL W PUSH
9 WIDTH 1 MOV ' clear CALL W POP RET
10 CODE ?CR ( --- )
11 0 PUSH X1 LDA WIDTH 0 ADD 0 DEC C_COL 0 CMP
12 0< IF 1 PUSH 2 PUSH I PUSH ES PUSH DS PUSH
13 IS PUSH ( cr) CALL IS POPS DS POPS ES POPS
14 I POP 2 POP 1 POP
15 THEN 0 POP RET

```

(type) copies the string pointed to by PTR with length given by CTE to the screen window at the cursor position. The cursor column is advanced for each char, and PCR will carriage return when it points past right edge of window.

```

0 \ Windows - (type)
1
2 CODE (type) ( -- ) W PUSH
3 I PUSH PTR U I MOV CTR U I MOV 'cursor CALL
4 DISPLAY LDA 0 ES LSG ATTRIBUTE LDA BEGIN
5 ' PCR CALL LODS 0 STOS C_COL INC
6 LOOP 0 IS SSG 0 ES LSG I POP W POP NEXT
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exit puts char from stack on screen at cursor.

LINADR returns the absolute screen address of the specified window line.

ELINE blanks the specified window line.

CLS blanks the current window.

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0 \ Windows - exit
1
2 CODE exit ( c -- )
3 'cursor CALL DISPLAY LDA 0 ES LSG 0 POP
4 ATTRIBUTE 0 OR ' PCR CALL STOS 0 IS SSG
5 0 ES LSG NEXT
6
7 : LINADR ( l -- a )
8 Y12 + 60 t X12 + 2t ;
9 : ELINE ( l -- )
10 LINADR WIDTH2 BLANKS ;
11
12 : CLS ( -- )
13 HEIGHT2 1+ 0 DO 1 ELINE LOOP ;
14
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COLUMN returns the window column of the cursor. (0..width) .

+CURSOR moves the cursor by signed amount. If in column 0, and the move is negative, it backs up one line.

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0 \ Windows - cursor movement
1
2 : COLUMN ( -- col ) C_COL 0 X12 - ;
3
4 : +CURSOR ( n -- )
5 DUP 0< COLUMN 0= AND IF
6 -1 C_ROW +! X12 WIDTH2 + C_COL !
7 THEN C_COL +! ;
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```

"expect" is an exact copy from screen 83 of level 4 listing. It has to be defined here because the original is headerless, and can't be found by WORD. (note the vert. bar in front of CODE expect in the source listing: it compiles a headerless definition)

This is the title that is used for program listings.

```

8 \ Windows - expect
1 CODE expect ( n - n n n ) ASSEMBLER 32 # W MOV
2 1 1 SUB 1 2 MOV 0 POP 12 #B 0 CMP 0= IF
3 CNT U) DEC 0 0< IF CNT U) INC 0
4 ELSE PTR U) DEC CTR U) DEC -2 # 1 MOV
5 SWAP ELSE 2 #B 1 MOV 13 #B 0 CMP 0= NOT IF
6 PTR U) W MOV 0< IF ( Fn) 1 1 SUB 2 #B CNT U) ADD
7 17967 # 0 ADD 0 0 HI XCHG 0 STOS 32 # W MOV
8 ELSE STOS 0 W PTR U) MOV W 0 XCHG
9 CNT U) INC 0 CTR U) INC 0= IF
10 SWAP THEN SWAP THEN 2 CTR U) MOV 2 INC
11 THEN THEN THEN 2 PUSH 1 SAR 1 PUSH W PUSH NEXT.
12
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15 \ Sample Prep Ver 0.1

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(CR) High level access to (cr). Performs carriage return.

(TAB) moves the cursor position to specified line and column. Allows only valid window coordinates.

(TYPE) New vector for 'TYPE'.

(PAGE) vector for 'PAGE'. Clears window, homes cursor.

(EXPECT) is called from EXPECT in FORTH to get n chars and put them to an address. PTR, CTR, CNT are setup by EXPECT and used by "expect". Advances cursor position.

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8 \ Windows - Screen output for FORTH
1 CODE (CR) ( --- ) ' (cr) CALL NEXT
2
3 : (TAB) ( l c --- )
4 0 MAX WIDTH? 1- MIN X1? + C_COL !
5 0 MAX HEIGHT? MIN Y1? + C_ROW ! ;
6 : (TYPE) PAUSE (type) ;
7
8 : (PAGE) ( --- ) CLS 0 0 (TAB) ;
9
10 : (EXPECT) BEGIN 95 exit (KEY)
11 expect exit +CURSOR UNTIL ;
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These constants define the IBM characters for drawing boxes.

HVLINE draws a horizontal line the width of the window.

WSIDES draws the left and right window border.

4SIDES draws a box around the current screen window.

DRAWBOX clears the current window, draws a border around it, and puts the viewport just inside the border.

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8 \ Windows - Drawbox
1 203 CONSTANT TD 202 CONSTANT BD \ us and down "t"s
2 205 CONSTANT HZ 186 CONSTANT VT \ horz, vert bars
3 201 CONSTANT UL 187 CONSTANT UR \ upper corners
4 200 CONSTANT LL 188 CONSTANT LR \ lower corners
5
6 : HVLINE ( --- ) WIDTH? 2- 0 DO HZ EXIT LOOP ;
7 : WSIDES ( --- ) HEIGHT? 1 DO
8 1 0 TAB VT EXIT 1 WIDTH? 1- TAB VT EXIT
9 LOOP ;
10 : 4SIDES ( --- )
11 0 0 TAB UL EXIT HVLINE UR EXIT
12 WSIDES HEIGHT? 0 TAB LL EXIT HVLINE LR EXIT ;
13
14 : DRAWBOX ( --- )
15 CLS 4SIDES 1 X1 +! 1 Y1 +! -2 WIDTH +! -2 HEIGHT +! ;

```

WINDOW stores the window parameters, clears the window, and places the cursor at it's upper left corner.

BOX is the same as above, but draws a box around the specified window and makes the window 2 characters smaller in both height and width.

WORK The work window is the full width screen between the status header and the menu bar.

FULL uses the entire screen.

SELECTION is the small window on the right side used for selecting things.

WIDEDIR is used for full directory listings.

HELPSIZE is the help window.

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These constants contain the addresses of the non-windowing output routines. Used when disconnecting the windowing functions, or writing directly to the screen.

\$TYPE types chars to the un-windowed screen. It duplicates the code found in scr 78 of Level 4 listing.
(1938 is address of (type))

\$TAB positions the cursor on the un-windowed screen.

\$EMIT prints a char to screen without using windows.

\$SPACE outputs a space directly to the screen.

\$SPACES sends n spaces.

\$CLINE clears the given full screen line.

\$EXPECT expects n chars to add and echoes to full screen.

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WINDOWOFF restores FORTH's screen output routines.

WINDOWON connects FORTH to the window output

WINDOW? displays the current window parameters.

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0 \ Windows - Windowing
1
2 : WINDOW ( x1 y1 w h --- )
3   WHEIGHT ! WWIDTH ! Y1 ! X1 ! 0 0 (TAB) ;
4
5 : BOX ( x1 y1 w h --- )
6   WINDOW DRAWBOX 0 0 (TAB) ;
7
8 \ Window Types:
9 : WORK      0 2 88 17 ; \ use all these as prefixer to
10 : BKG       0 8 88 24 ; \ WINDOW or BOX i.e:
11 : SELECTION 67 2 13 17 ; \ "BKG WINDOW"
12 : WIDEDIR   14 2 66 17 ;
13 : HELPSIZE  0 2 66 17 ;
14 : EDITING   6 2 67 17 ;
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0 \ Windows - Full screen output
1 'TYPE ? CONSTANT [TYPE] 'EXPECT ? CONSTANT [EXPECT]
2 'PAGE ? CONSTANT [PAGE] 'TAB ? CONSTANT [TAB]
3 'CR ? CONSTANT [CR]
4 CODE $TYPE ( a n --- ) HEX
5   0 POP PTR U) POP 0 0 OR 0) IF 0 CTR U) MOV
6   6 C@ U) ADD [TYPE] & W MOV ' EXECUTE 1+ JMP THEN NEXT
7   DECIMAL
8 : $TAB ( --- ) [TAB] EXECUTE ;
9 : $EMIT ( c --- ) 'S 1 $TYPE DROP ;
10 : $SPACE ( --- ) 32 $EMIT ;
11 : $SPACES ( n --- ) BEGIN ?ANY WHILE $TYPE REPEAT ;
12 : $CLINE ( l --- ) 168 & 86 BLANKS ;
13 : $EXPECT ( a n --- ) 'EXPECT ? >R [EXPECT] 'EXPECT !
14   EXPECT R) 'EXPECT ! ;
15
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0 \ Windows - Windowing on / off
1
2 : WINDOWOFF ( --- )
3   [TYPE] 'TYPE ! [CR] 'CR ! [TAB] 'TAB ! [PAGE] 'PAGE !
4   [EXPECT] 'EXPECT ! ;
5
6 : WINDOWON ( --- )
7   ['] (TYPE) 'TYPE ! ['] (CR) 'CR ! ['] (TAB) 'TAB !
8   ['] (PAGE) 'PAGE ! ['] (EXPECT) 'EXPECT ! ;
9
10 : WINDOW? ( --- )
11   CR ." X1, Y1: " X1? . SPACE Y1? . CR ." WIDTH: "
12   WIDTH? . CR ." HEIGHT: " HEIGHT? . CR ;
13
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F# Current file number; directory index for this file.
 FPTR first block of file.
 BCT Number of blocks in file.
 EOF 0 = not end of file.
 UPDATED Flag indicates whether file was written to or not.
 DETAILS Controls directory printing; 0=short 1=long format
 LOADERR Not zero if a file was not found when loading.
 'BAT is the block number containing the block allocation table.
 MAXBLKS Number of blocks on disk that the file system uses.
 1STBLK The first useable block on an empty disk.
 BATSIZE is the number of bytes in the block allocation table.
 BAT_BUF is a buffer to hold the block allocation table when a file is open.

```

0 \ Sample Prep File System - Load Block
1 VARIABLE F# -1 F# !
2 VARIABLE BCT
3 VARIABLE EOF
4 VARIABLE UPDATED
5 VARIABLE DETAILS
6 VARIABLE LOADERR
7 0 CONSTANT 'BAT
8 320 CONSTANT MAXBLKS
9 4 CONSTANT 1STBLK
10 1STBLK 20 CONSTANT RESERVED
11 MAXBLKS 20 CONSTANT BATSIZE
12 CREATE BAT_BUF BATSIZE ALLOT BAT_BUF 30 ERASE
13 BAT_BUF CONSTANT FPTR
14 91 +P 104 +P THRU \ Load the rest of the file system
15 EXIT

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DBLOCK is used to read and write only to drive 0.

GET_BAT reads the block allocation table from the disk.
 SAVE_BAT writes the BAT to the disk.
 nBAT? Returns the contents of the ith entry in BAT (a block #).
 nBAT! Stores n into the ith entry of BAT.
 INITBAT creates an empty block allocation table on the disk.
 nthBLK returns the block # of the nth block of a file, or -1.

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0 \ File System - Block Allocation Table
1 : DBLOCK ( blk# --- a) DUP 0 320 WITHIN NOT ABORT" blk error"
2 OFFSET 0 >R 0 OFFSET ! BLOCK R> OFFSET ! ;
3
4 : GET_BAT ( - ) 'BAT DBLOCK RESERVED +
5 BAT_BUF RESERVED + BATSIZE RESERVED - MOVE ;
6 : SAVE_BAT ( - ) BAT_BUF 'BAT DBLOCK BATSIZE MOVE UPDATE ;
7
8 : nBAT? ( i --- blk# ) 20 BAT_BUF + 0 ;
9 : nBAT! ( n i --- ) 20 BAT_BUF + ! ;
10 : INITBAT BAT_BUF BATSIZE ERASE ( BAT_BUF 1STBLK 20 -1 FILL )
11 SAVE_BAT FLUSH ;
12 CODE nthBLK -1 0 MOV 1 POP - FPTR 0 MOV 1NZ IF
13 BEGIN 0 2 CMP 0= IF 1 1 SUB ELSE 0 0 ADD ' BAT_BUF # 0
14 ADD 0 W MOV W ) 0 MOV 1 DEC THEN 0= UNTIL THEN
15 0 PUSH NEXT

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VBLK? aborts if the block number is invalid.
 FREEBLK finds the first unallocated block on the disk. It aborts if the disk is full.
 ENDBLK marks the given block as the end of file block in the BAT.
 ALLOCATE adds the given block to the end of the current file.
 OF_FILE determines if the given block is already part of the current file; returns true if so.

```

0 \ File System - Block Allocation
1
2 : VBLK? ( blk# ) -1 MAXBLKS WITHIN NOT ABORT" bad blk# " ;
3 : FREEBLK ( --- blk# ) -1 MAXBLKS 1STBLK DO
4 1 nBAT? 0= IF DROP 1 LEAVE THEN LOOP
5 DUP 0< ABORT" disk full" ;
6 : PPTR 0 SWAP ?DUP IF 0 DO nBAT? LOOP THEN ;
7 : nALLOCATE
8 PPTR DUP nBAT? 3 PICK nBAT! nBAT! 1 BCT +!
9 SAVE_BAT ;
10 : nDEALLOCATE
11 PPTR DUP nBAT? DUP nBAT? ROT nBAT!
12 0 SWAP nBAT! -1 BCT +! SAVE_BAT ;
13 : OF_FILE? ( blk# --- t ) >R FPTR 0 BEGIN DUP VBLK?
14 DUP -1 = OVER 1 = OR NOT WHILE nBAT? REPEAT R> = ;
15

```

FREECNT returns the number of free blocks left on the disk.

.BAT prints the block allocation table.

LINKS prints the block numbers that belong to the current file.

```

0 \ File System - Testing words
1
2 : FREECNT ( --- n ) 0 MAXBLKS 1STBLK DO
3   I nBAT2 0= + LOOP ;
4 : .BAT CR ." FILE= " F# 2 . ." FPTR= " FPTR 2 . ." BCT= "
5   BCT 2 . BAT_BUF BATSIZE DUMP FREECNT . ." free blks" CR ;
6
7 : LINKS CR FPTR 2 BEGIN DUP 4 U.R nBAT2 DUP -1 = UNTIL DROP
8   CR ;
9
10
11
12
13
14
15

```

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OPEN? aborts if a file is already open.

-OPEN? aborts if a file is not open.

'LATEST returns a pointer to the most recently accessed block #.

LATEST returns the most recent block number (without update bit).

FLAGGED tests the update bit of LATEST.

?DRV returns true if the block belongs to drive 0.

FUPDATE is used in place of UPDATE when writing to a file. It allocates a new block to the end of the file if the written block is not already part of the file.

rBLOCK reads the nth block relative to the beginning of the current file.

FBLOCK is used in place of BLOCK to access a file block.

```

0 \ File System - File Block Accessing
1 : OPEN? F# 2 1+ 0> ABORT" file is open!" ;
2 : -OPEN? F# 2 0< ABORT" file not open!" ; HEX
3 : 'LATEST ( --- a ) PREV DUP 2 + 4 + ;
4 : LATEST ( --- blk# ) 'LATEST 2 7FFF AND ;
5 : ?FLAGGED ( --- ) 'LATEST 2 8000 AND IF R> DROP THEN ;
6 DECIMAL
7 : ?DRV ( --- t ) LATEST 320 < ;
8 : FUPDATE ( --- ) -OPEN? ?FLAGGED UPDATE 1 UPDATED ! ;
9 : rBLOCK ( rblk# --- a ) 'FPTR 2 0= ABORT" fptr=0"
10 nthBLK DBLOCK ;
11 : FBLOCK ( rblk# --- a ) -OPEN? 0 MAX DUP BCT 2 - 0<
12   IF rBLOCK
13   ELSE DROP FREEBLK DUP BCT 2 nALLOCATE
14   DBLOCK DUP 1024 BLANK FUPDATE
15 THEN ;

```

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MAXFILES is the number of files supported by the directory size.

ENTRYLEN Size of each directory entry.

NNLEN Number of characters in the filename.

'DIR is the first disk block of the directory.

#BLKS contains the file block count. Updated at FCLOSE.

BLK1 is the first block of the file. Use BAT to find the rest.

Creation date

time

Modification date

time

File attributes

'ENTRY returns the address of the directory entry for file n.

INITDIR initializes a directory.

```

0 \ File System - Directory Structure
1 96 CONSTANT MAXFILES
2 32 CONSTANT ENTRYLEN
3 11 CONSTANT NNLEN
4 1 CONSTANT 'DIR
5 ( Offsets into directory entry )
6 11 CONSTANT #BLKS
7 13 CONSTANT BLK1
8 15 CONSTANT CRDATE
9 17 CONSTANT CRTIME
10 19 CONSTANT MDATE
11 21 CONSTANT MTIME
12 23 CONSTANT FTYPE
13 : 'ENTRY ( f# --- a ) ENTRYLEN 1024 #/MOD 'DIR + DBLOCK +
14 : INITDIR MAXFILES 0 DO 1 'ENTRY ENTRYLEN 3 FILL UPDATE LOOP
15

```

SCANDIR takes a pointer to a filename and searches for a match to that name in the directory. If found, it returns a valid file number, else it returns -1.

GETENTRY returns the next empty directory entry for a new file.

FOUND is used after SCANDIR to test for finding a filename.

FILENTRY returns the address of the directory entry for the file in F#.

INITFILE copies the file pointer and block count into user variables and sets the indicator to "file not modified".

```

0 \ File System - Directory accessing
1 : SCANDIR ( 'name --- f# ) >R -1 MAXFILES 0 DO
2 I 'ENTRY NMLEN J NMLEN -MATCH 0= IF 2DROP 1 LEAVE
3 ELSE DROP THEN LOOP R> DROP. ;
4
5 : GETENTRY ( --- f# ) -1 MAXFILES 0 DO I 'ENTRY C0 0=
6 IF DROP 1 LEAVE THEN LOOP ;
7
8 : FOUND ( f# --- t ) 1+ 0 ;
9 : FILENTRY ( --- a ) F# 0 'ENTRY ;
10
11 : INITFILE ( --- ) FILENTRY DUP #BLKS + 0 BCT !
12 BLK1 + 0 FPTR ! 0 UPDATED ! ;
13
14
15

```

MAKEFILE constructs the directory entry for a new file. It allocates one block to the new file and sets the time and date of creation and modification. The directory entry will be written to the disk.

FCREATE Creates a new file if it doesn't already exist. The new file is opened for reading/writing. It returns 0 if successful, 1 if the file already exists, and 2 if the directory is full.

```

0 \ File System - File creation
1 : MAKEFILE ( 'name f# - ) FREEBLK -1 OVER nBAT! SWAP 'ENTRY
2 DUP >R ENTRYLEN 0 FILL I BLK1 + ! I NMLEN MOVE
3 I I #BLKS + ! 0 TIME DUP I CTIME + ! I MTIME + !
4 TODAY 0 DUP I CDATE + ! I MDATE + ! 0 R> FTYPE + !
5 UPDATE ;
6
7 : FCREATE ( 'name --- t )
8 OPEN? DUP SCANDIR FOUND NOT IF
9 GETENTRY DUP 1+ 0 IF
10 GET_BAT SWAP OVER ( f# 'nm f# ) MAKEFILE
11 F# ! INITFILE 1 UPDATED ! 0
12 ELSE DROP 2
13 THEN
14 ELSE DROP 1
15 THEN ;

```

FOPEN opens an existing file for access. It sets F# to the file's directory index, and puts #BLKS into BCT and BLK1 into FPTR. Returns 0 if successful, 1 if file does not exist.

FCLOSE Writes out the open file's new block count if the file has been modified, and updates the modification date and time.

FDELETE removes the given file from the directory (by putting a 0 in the first filename char), and releases its blocks for other files to use.

```

0 \ File System - Program access to files
1
2 : FOPEN ( 'name --- t ) OPEN? SCANDIR DUP FOUND IF F# !
3 GET_BAT INITFILE 0 ELSE DROP 1 THEN ;
4
5 : FCLOSE ( --- ) -OPEN? UPDATED 0 0 IF SAVE_BAT FILENTRY
6 BCT 0 OVER #BLKS + ! TODAY 0 OVER MDATE + ! 0 TIME SWAP
7 MTIME + ! 0 UPDATED ! UPDATE FLUSH THEN -1 F# ! ;
8
9 : FDELETE ( 'name --- t ) OPEN? SCANDIR DUP FOUND IF GET_BAT
10 'ENTRY DUP 0 OVER C! UPDATE BLK1 + 0 BEGIN DUP VBLK?
11 DUP nBAT? 0 ROT nBAT! DUP -1 = UNTIL
12 2DROP 0 SAVE_BAT FLUSH THEN ;
13
14
15

```

NAME gets the filename from the input and puts it in PAD.

MAKE creates a new file and leaves it open. "MAKE XXX"

OPEN opens an existing file for access. "OPEN XXX"

CLOSE closes file access, updating file information. "CLOSE"

DELETE removes a file from the directory. No file may be open when this command is used. "DELETE XXX"

```

0 \ File System - User file commands
1
2 : NAME ( -- a ) 32 TEXT PAD ;
3 ( EXIT ) \ TESTING WORDS
4 : MAKE ( --- ) NAME FCREATE DUP 0 IF 1 = IF
5 ." already exists" ELSE ." directory full" THEN
6 ELSE DROP THEN ;
7 : OPEN ( --- ) NAME FOPEN 0 IF ." can't find" THEN ?
8 : CLOSE ( --- ) FCLOSE ;
9 : DELETE ( --- ) NAME FDELETE 0 IF ." can't find" THEN ;
10
11 EXIT
12 : MULT-LOAD
13 >IN 2 >R >R 0 >IN 2!
14 STATE 2 IF 1 ELSE INTERPRET THEN
15 R> R> >IN 2! DECIMAL ;

```

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(FLIST) types the contents of the given block from the current open file.

FLIST types all the blocks in the current open file.

(LOAD) causes FORTH to interpret from the disk file (this is the normal loading process). Nested file loads are ok.

INCLUDE can be used in a source code file to cause another file to be "included" or loaded. Use: INCLUDE XYZZY

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```

0 \ File System - Utilities
1 : (FLIST) ( n ) -OPEN? BCT 2 MIN 0 MAX
2 ." File: " FILEENTRY NAMELEN TYPE ." Block: "
3 DUP . 16 0 DO CR 1 2 U.R SPACE DUP FBLOCK
4 1 64 1 + 64 >TYPE LOOP CR
5 EOF 2 IF ." END OF FILE" THEN SCR ! ;
6 : FLIST ( -- ) BCT 2 0 DO 1 3 MOD 0= IF PAGE CR CR CR CR THEN
7 1 (FLIST) CR CR CR LOOP ;
8 : (LOAD) ( 'na -- ) OFFSET 2 >R 0 OFFSET !
9 FF 2 >R FPTR 2 >R BCT 2 >R EOF 2 >R UPDATED 2 >R -1 F#
10 FOPEN 0= IF BCT 2 0 DO 1 nthBLK LOAD LOOP
11 ELSE 1 LOADERR +! THEN
12 R> UPDATED ! R> EOF ! R> BCT ! R> FPTR ! R> F# !
13 R> OFFSET ! ;
14
15 : INCLUDE ( - ) NAME (LOAD) ;

```

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These words print the contents of a directory entry.

.ENTRY prints the directory entry for file n on one line.
Format of directory depends on DETAILS.

.HEADER prints a heading for the directory command.

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```

0 \ File System - Directory Support
1 : .NAME ( # ) 'ENTRY NAMELEN TYPE ;
2 : .BLKS ( # ) 'ENTRY #BLKS + 2 4 U.R 4 SPACES ;
3 : .BLK1 ( # ) 'ENTRY BLK1 + 2 4 U.R ;
4 : .CROT ( # ) 'ENTRY CROATE + 2 .DATE 3 SPACES ;
5 : .CTIME ( # ) 'ENTRY CRTIME + 2 .TIME ;
6 : .MDATE ( # ) 'ENTRY MDATE + 2 .DATE SPACE ;
7 : .MTIME ( # ) 'ENTRY MTIME + 2 .TIME ;
8 : .FTYPE ( # ) 'ENTRY FTYPE + 2 4 U.R SPACE ;
9
10 : .ENTRY ( # ) DUP >R .NAME DETAILS 2 IF SPACE 1 .FTYPE
11 1 .BLK1 1 .BLKS 1 .CROT 1 .MDATE 1 .MTIME THEN
12 R> DROP ;
13 : .HEADER ." Files: " DETAILS 2 IF 5 SPACES
14 ." Type Blk1 #blks" 4 SPACES ." Created: " 6 SPACES
15 ." Modified: " THEN ;

```

PG_TO finds the nth printable directory entry. Used for "pageing" the directory listing on the screen.

PG contains offset to the first valid directory entry to print.
NONE If true, no entries were printed.
(DIR) prints n valid directory entrys starting at PG in the format selected by DETAILS.

.DIR prints every directory entry (TESTING).

```
0 \ File System - Directory Display
1 : PG_TO ( n --- f#) 1+ -1 SWAP 0 DO
2 1+ (ptr) DUP 'ENTRY C? IF 1 ELSE 0 THEN
3 OVER MAXFILES 1- = IF LEAVE THEN +LOOP ;
4
5 VARIABLE PG
6 VARIABLE NONE
7 : (DIR) ( n - ) .HEADER TRUE NONE ! PG 2 PG_TO SWAP 0 DO-
8 DUP MAXFILES = IF LEAVE 0 ELSE DUP 'ENTRY C? IF
9 FALSE NONE ! CR DUP .ENTRY 1 ELSE 0 THEN
10 SWAP 1+ SWAP THEN +LOOP DROP ;
11
12 : DIR .HEADER MAXFILES 0 DO 1 0> 1 16 MOD 0= AND IF KEY DROP
13 THEN
14 CR 1 . 1 .ENTRY LOOP ;
15
```

pgup decreasents page by the current window height.
pgdn advances PG by window size if there is more to display.

SHOWDIR makes a window box on the screen, displays the files, and allows pageing up or down in the list until a key is pressed.

```
0 \ File System - Directory Display
1
2 142 CONSTANT UPKEY
3 150 CONSTANT DNKEY
4
5 : pgup ( - ) PG 2 WHEIGHT 2 - 0 MAX PG ! ;
6 : pgdn ( - ) NONE 2 0= IF PG 2 WHEIGHT 2 + MAXFILES MIN
7 PG ! THEN ;
8
9 : SHOWDIR ( - ) 0 PG ! DETAILS 2 IF HELPSIZE
10 ELSE SELECTION THEN BOX
11 BEGIN CLS 0 0 TAB WHEIGHT 2 (DIR) KEY DUP UPKEY = IF
12 DROP pgup FALSE ELSE DNKEY = IF pgdn FALSE ELSE TRUE
13 THEN THEN UNTIL WORK WINDOW ;
14
15
```

F/P number of files printed per page.

.DIR is used to print a disk directory on the printer.
It advances to the top of a page, prints a header and prints up to F/P file entries.

```
0 \ File System - Directory Printing
1 50 CONSTANT F/P
2
3 : .DIR ( --- )
4 0 ( entries printed) MAXFILES 0 DO
5 DUP 0= IF PAGE .HEADER CR 1+ THEN
6 1 'ENTRY C? IF CR 1 .ENTRY 1+ THEN
7 DUP F/P = IF DROP 0 THEN
8 LOOP DROP
9 CR CR FREECNT 22 SPACES . . * Free blocks* CR ;
10
11
12
13
14
15
```

This module contains the definitions that manage the Sample Prep screens.

```

0 \ Sample Prep Screen Support - Load Block
1
2 71 LOAD      \ Words for changing attributes directly
3 58 59 THRU   \ Screen Maintenance
4 67 68 THRU   \ user input/output
5 63 64 THRU   \ Screen Maintenance
6 70 LOAD      \ Command Interpreter
7 65 66 THRU   \ ST/STP/PAUS/CONT and common Menu Labels
8 132 139 THRU \ Status screen background
9 185 LOAD     \ help screen support
10 69 LOAD     \ fake screen displays ** TEMPORARY **
11 15 LOAD     \ editor
12 76 LOAD     \ filer screen
13 108 LOAD    \ print screen
14 72 LOAD     \ status screen
15 84 LOAD     \ resolve forward references in screens

```

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Pointer to current Screen data structure.

'SCRN returns the address of the current screen data structure.

Fn# returns the address of selected function number.

Fn#? returns the currently selected function number.

Fn#! stores the current function number.

SCR# gets the address of the current screen ID number.

>FUNCT returns the address of an entry in the current screen table (pointed to by 'SCREEN) for the given function number.

FCHAR returns the command character for the given function number from the current screen.

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```

0 \ Screen Support - basic tools
1 VARIABLE 'SCREEN VARIABLE CELLFLG VARIABLE MENU-ON?
2 10 CONSTANT /CELL 23 CONSTANT 'BAR
3
4 : >INPUTLINE 24 0 $TAB ; : >HPLINE 22 10 $TAB ;
5 : >MSGLINE 20 0 $TAB ; VARIABLE MSGON?
6
7 : 'SCRN ( -- a ) 'SCREEN 0 ;
8 : Fn# ( -- a ) 'SCRN ;
9 : Fn#? ( -- n ) 'SCRN ? ;
10 : Fn#! ( n -- ) 'SCRN ! ;
11 : SCR# ( -- n ) 'SCRN 6 + ;
12 : >FUNCT ( n -- a )
13 5 $ ( /entry) 7 + ( header) 'SCRN + ;
14 : FCHAR ( n -- c ) >FUNCT 4 + C@ ;
15

```

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MSGFLG if true, display selection message on line 23.

>MSGLINE positions cursor at column 0 of the help line.

>INPUTLINE puts the cursor on the last line of the screen.

LMARGN types spaces to center following text.

RMARGN fills reest of line with spaces to clear old text on line

CENTERED types the text at address "a" centered in a field sz chars wide.

.KEY prints the command char of the current function.

dotH prints text centered on Message line. Refer to FORTH's dot definition on screen 86.

.F compiles a string to be printed outside the window.

.C compiles a string centered on an 80 char line.

.H compiles a string to be printed centered on the prompt line

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```

0 \ Screen Support - Message and Prompt Formatting
1
2 : LMARGN ( sz a -- ) C@ - 2/ $SPACES ;
3 : RMARGN ( sz a -- ) C@ - DUP 2/ - $SPACES ;
4 : CENTERED ( sz a -- ) 2DUP LMARGN DUP COUNT $TYPE RMARGN ;
5
6 : dotF" ( -- ) 1 ?R@ COUNT
7 CELLFLG 2 IF INVERSE ELSE UNDERLINE THEN
8 $TYPE NORMAL ;
9 : dotC" ( -- ) 80 1 ?R@ CENTERED ;
10 : dotH" ( -- ) 1 ?R@ CELLFLG 2
11 IF >HPLINE 60 SWAP UNDERLINE CENTERED NORMAL
12 ELSE DROP THEN ;
13 : .F COMPILE dotF" 34 STRING ; IMMEDIATE
14 : .C COMPILE dotC" 34 STRING ; IMMEDIATE
15 : .H COMPILE dotH" 34 STRING ; IMMEDIATE

```

/CELL Size of Menu Bar cell in bytes.
 BAR is the line number of the menu bar.
 >CELL positions cursor at beginning of menu cell for the given function.
 .CELL prints the label for a menu cell by executing the 2nd address in the function table.
 MSGON MSGOFF turn the selection information on and off.
 CELLOFF prints the cell label with normal video (white on black).
 CELLON prints the cell label in reverse video.
 .MENU fills the menu bar outline with the text fields defined in the screen pointed to by 'SCREEN.

```

0 \ Screen Support - Menu Cells and Labels
1 : >CELL ( n - 10 c ) /CELL & 'BAR SWAP ;
2 : .CELL ( n - ) DUP >CELL &TAB >FUNCT 2+ @EXECUTE ;
3 : .BAR 'BAR 1- 0 &TAB 79 &SPACES 'BAR 0 &TAB 79 &SPACES ;
4
5 : CELLOFF ( - )
6 [ HEX ] 100 [ DECIMAL ] Fn@ >CELL /CELL 1- NAT ;
7 : .MENU ( - )
8 1 MENU-ON? !
9 UNDERLINE .BAR NORMAL
10 0 CELLFLG ! 0 0 DO
11 1 Fn@ = IF 1 CELLFLG ! THEN
12 1 .CELL 0 CELLFLG !
13 LOOP 1 CELLFLG ! ;
14 : MENU-OFF ( - )
15 0 MENU-ON? ! .BAR ;

```

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NEWSCREEN switches the display to a new screen.

#SCRNS is incremented by each new screen definition and used as the screen ID. Contains the number of defined screens.
 The screen ID is used by HELP to display the right help screen.
 DEFSCRN is a compiler word that creates a Screen data structure. The structure consists of an index (0..7) of the currently selected function; a pointer to the previous screen; a pointer to a procedure to execute when this screen is selected and displayed; a unique screen ID number (screens are numbered sequentially from 1 to n as they are defined); and 8 function and 8 function entries, each containing three entries: the address of a function to execute, the address of a menu label display, and a command character that will execute the function.

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```

0 \ Screen Support - Screen Data Structure Definition
1
2 : NEWSCREEN ( 'screen --- )
3 DUP 'SCREEN ? = NOT
4 IF DUP 'SCREEN ! \ point to new screen
5 .MENU \ print the new menu
6 4 + @EXECUTE \ execute the screen proc
7 ELSE DROP THEN ;
8
9 VARIABLE #SCRNS \ number of defined screens
10
11 : DEFSCRN ( --- ) CREATE 0 , ( func )
12 0 , ( link is filled in later ) , ( screen proc )
13 1 #SCRNS +! #SCRNS ? C , ( screen ID )
14 0 0 DO [COMPILE] ( ' , ( function ) , ( text ) ASCII C ,
15 LOOP DOES ( --- ) NEWSCREEN ;

```

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DO_FUNC uses given index to fetch function pointer and executes it.
 <>FUNC moves the highlighted selector left or right on the menu bar. +n is right, -n is left.
 +FUNC moves the selector to the right. The selector wraps around if in the rightmost position.
 -FUNC moves the selector to the left. The selector moves to the rightmost position if on position 0.
 SELECT executes the function pointed to by the current function index in the current Screen pointed to by 'SCREEN.
 DESELECT exits the current menu and goes to the previously selected menu.
 CHAR>FN compares a given character to the function characters in the current screen and executes the function it matches.

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```

0 \ Screen Support - Menu cell selection words
1
2 : DO_FUNC ( n --- ) CLRSB >FUNCT @EXECUTE ;
3 : <>FUNC ( n --- )
4 CLRSB CELLOFF Fn@ + 7 AND DUP Fn@ .CELL ;
5 : +FUNC ( --- ) 1 <>FUNC ;
6 : -FUNC ( --- ) -1 <>FUNC ;
7 : SELECT ( --- ) Fn@ DO_FUNC ;
8 : DESELECT ( --- ) CLRSB 'SCRN 2+ @ NEWSCREEN ;
9
10 : CHAR>FN ( c --- ) 0 0 DO DUP 1 >FUNCT 4 + C@ =
11 IF 1 DO_FUNC LEAVE THEN LOOP DROP ;
12
13
14
15

```

.TITLE prints the system title on the top line of the screen.

0 \ Screen Support - Status Header

1

2 : .TITLE

3 10 28 TAB ." SP 10,808 SAMPLE PREPARATION SYSTEM

4 12 34 TAB ." VER 0.1

5 24 32 TAB ." hit any key!" KEY ;

6

.STATUS prints the status line on line 2 of the screen. The contents of the fields will be updated by the STATUS task.

7 : .BANNER 8 8 TAB

8 UNDERLINE 4 SPACES ." Status:"

9 UNDERLINE ." READY

10 UNDERLINE 6 SPACES TODAY 2 .DATE

11 1 SPACES 2 TIME .TIME 5 SPACES

12 UNDERLINE 30 SPACES ." Method: No Method

13 UNDERLINE 5 SPACES

14 NORMAL ;

15

.BANNER displays the status the status header on the top 2 lines of the screen.

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.MID prints the horizontal line for 1 cell.

.BOXTOP draws the top of one cell.

.BOXMID draws the middle line of a box.

.BOXBTM draws the bottom line of a box.

.TOPF draws 7 box tops.

.BOTM " bottoms

.CVDRS " middles

.BAR prints the whole menu bar.

0 \ Screen Support - Menu Bar Screen Layout

1

2 : .FRAME (--)

3 PAGE .TITLE PAGE .BANNER

4 1 0 TAB 160 TOP ! ;

5

6

7

8

9

10

11

12

13

14

15

.FRAME builds the main screen outline: the status header and an empty menu bar.

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.CMD is a function key routine that will accept a FORTH command from the keyboard and execute it, returning back to PREP. Characters are echoed on the inputline (line 25)

.CONTROL sends a command code and a command string pointer to the control task and waits for an acknowledgement message. Displays an error message if not a positive ack.

.MTHCTL sends a command to the control task and redisplay the start/stop and pause/continue menu fields to show new command selections. (The commands depend on the current run status) ST/STP is the start/stop menu command, either starts or stops a method.

.PS/CNT pauses a running method or continues a paused method.

0 \ Screen support -- ST/STP/PAUS/CNT and common Menu Labels

1 \ : >CONTROL (a n --) TO CONTROL SEND MSG

2 \ FROM CONTROL MSGWAIT ACK = NOT IF .ERROR ELSE DROP THEN

3

4 : ST/STP (-) NULL STRT/STOP TO CONTROL SEND MSG ;

5 : PS/CNT (-) NULL PAUS/CNT TO CONTROL SEND MSG ;

6

7 : WHICHSTATE (-- n) RUN STATUS

8 (RUNBIT PAUSEBIT OR 1 LITERAL) AND ;

9 : SHO-CONTROL (-)

10 DUP Fn? = NOT

11 IF 0 CELLFLG ! THEN .CELL 1 CELLFLG ! ;

12 VARIABLE LASTSTATE

13 : NEWSTATE? (-)

14 WHICHSTATE LASTSTATE = NOT MENU-ON? AND

15 IF 0 SHO-CONTROL 1 SHO-CONTROL THEN ;

Use EMPTYCL for any undefined menu field.
HELPTXT shows the help command field.

WHICHSTATE returns status of method 0=idle, 1=pause, 2=running

STARTTX shows the START or STOP command depending on current run status.

PAUSETX shows PAUSE, blank or CONTINUE menu command depending on run status.

```

0 \ Screen support - ST/STP/PAUS/CONT and common Menu Labels
1 : EMPTYCL .F" " .H" " ; \ empty cell
2
3 : HELPTXT .F" HELP " .H" D
4
5 : STARTTX ( - ) WHICHSTATE DUP LASTSTATE !
6   IF .F" STOP " .H" Stop Running"
7   ELSE .F" START "
8     .H" Start Preparation Procedure" THEN ;
9
10 : PAUSETX ( - ) WHICHSTATE DUP LASTSTATE !
11   0 CASE IF EMPTYCL
12   ELSE 1 CASE IF .F" PAUSE "
13     .H" Suspend procedure operation temporarily"
14   ELSE DROP .F" CONTINUE "
15     .H" Continue running procedure" THEN THEN ;

```

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XRST is used after expect. Similar to RESET in FORTH which is un-findable.

INPUTTX gets a text string from the keyboard and returns the address of the counted string (count in first byte).

TXTXPROMPT is given the address of a counted string to type as a user prompt on the inputline. The address of the input string is returned.

KEYXPROMPT types a given prompt string on the message line and awaits a keystroke. It clears the prompt and returns the key.

YES? returns true if user typed a "Y" or "y", false otherwise.

.ERROR types an error string (counted) on the message line.

.MSG types a (counted) message string.

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```

0 \ Screen Support - User Input / Output Words
1
2 : XRST 0 BLK ! 0 >IN ! CNT C2 CNT 1+ C! ;
3
4 : INPUTTX ( -- a ) PAD 72 BLANK S0 0 88 !EXPECT XRST
5   1 WORD DUP C2 1+ PAD SWAP <MOVE PAD ;
6 : TXTXPROMPT ( ap -- ai ) >INPUTLINE COUNT !TYPE ( prompt)
7   INPUTTX 24 !CLINE ;
8 : KEYXPROMPT ( a -- c ) >INPUTLINE COUNT !TYPE KEY
9   24 !CLINE ;
10 : YES? ( a -- t ) KEYXPROMPT DUP 121 = SWAP 89 = OR ;
11
12 : CLRMSG ( - ) MSGON? 0 IF 20 !CLINE 0 MSGON? ! THEN ;
13 : .MSG ( a - ) CLRMSG >MSGLINE 88 SWAP CENTERED ! MSGON? ! ;
14 : .ERROR ( a - ) .MSG ;
15

```

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0LEN? Returns true if the name length is 0.

ESC? Returns true if the escape key was the last char typed.

LEGAL? Returns true if all characters in name are legal.

FILENAME prompts the user with the given string, and processes his input. If return is typed with no chars, or the esc key is typed with any input, false and no input is returned to caller. If any non-legal characters are found, an error msg is displayed and user is re-prompted for input. A legal input will return the address of the counted input string and true.

```

0 \ Screens Support - Input Words
1 HEX 8C8 CONSTANT ESC
2 : 0LEN? ( a -- t ) C2 0= ;
3 : ESC? ( a -- t ) DUP C2 + C2 ESC = ;
4 : LEGAL? ( a -- t ) TRUE SWAP COUNT OVER + SWAP ( t a+n a )
5   DO 1 C2 21 7F WITHIN NOT IF DROP FALSE THEN LOOP ;
6
7 : FILENAME ( a -- 'na t : f )
8   BEGIN
9     DUP TXTXPROMPT
10    DUP 0LEN? IF 2DROP FALSE EXIT THEN
11    DUP ESC? IF 2DROP FALSE EXIT THEN
12    DUP LEGAL? IF SWAP DROP TRUE EXIT THEN
13    DROP ( input ) " Illegal name! Retype" .ERROR BELL
14    AGAIN ;
15 DECIMAL

```

These definitions are being temporarily used to display simulated "screens" until actual screens are built.

```

0 \ Screen Support - Fake screen displays !! TEMPORARY !!
1
2 300 CONSTANT DUMMYScreens
3 DUMMYScreens CONSTANT STSBLK
4 DUMMYScreens 1+ CONSTANT MTHDBLK
5 DUMMYScreens 2+ CONSTANT PRTRBLK
6 DUMMYScreens 3+ CONSTANT SYTHBLK
7 DUMMYScreens 4+ CONSTANT FLRBLK
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9 : PSTATS STSBLK BLK>SCRN ; \ fake status
10 : PMTHD MTHDBLK BLK>SCRN ; \ method
11 : PPRT PRTRBLK BLK>SCRN ; \ print
12 : PSYST SYTHBLK BLK>SCRN ; \ system
13 : PFILR FLRBLK BLK>SCRN ; \ filer
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CMD is a function key routine that will accept a FORTH command from the keyboard and execute it, returning back to PREP. Characters are echoed on the inputline (line 25)

```

0 \ Screen Support - Command Interpreter
1
2 : CMD ( --- )
3 CLMSG
4 0 24 60 0 WINDOW (PAGE) 0 0 TAB
5 QUERY INTERPRET WORK WINDOW ;
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11 e the command selector across the menu.
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NAT is used to modify the attribute of screen text without modifying the contents of the character

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0
1 HEX CODE (NAT) ( attribute n a - )
2 W POP 1 POP 2 POP
3 I PUSH W I MOV
4 DISPLAY LDA 0 ES LSG
5 BEGIN
6 26 C, ( ES:) LODS
7 2 HI 0 HI MOV B STOS
8 LOOP
9 0 IS SS6 0 ES LSG 1 POP
10 NEXT DECIMAL
11 : NAT ( attribute int col n - )
12 ROT 80 + ROT + 20 (NAT) ;
13
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PREVSCR puts the link to the previous screen into a screen descriptor. This used after the 2 screens are defined to resolve the forward references. PREVSCR THIS PREV

- ✓ This screen resolves the forward references in the screen link pointers. Load this block after all the screens have been loaded. Add the links for all screens that are defined in the system. These links are followed when the user exits a screen. The links point to the screen to 'return' to. Note that the Status screen is the home screen, and points to itself.

```
0 \ Screen Support - Resolve forward references in Screens
1
2 : PREVSCR ( --- ) ' 2+ ' SNAP ! ;
3
4 \      this screen  previous screen
5 PREVSCR  STAT_SCR  STAT_SCR
6 PREVSCR  FILER_SCR  STAT_SCR
7 PREVSCR  PRNT_SCR  STAT_SCR
8
9 FORGET PREVSCR
10 EXIT
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S_FNLLOAD causes the control task to load a function file.
It prompts the user for a filename and sends a load command and
the filename pointer to the control task.

8 \ Status Screen - Load Block

```

1
2 : SSTEP ( - ) NULL ISTEP TO_CONTROL SEND_MSG ;
3
4 : S_FNLLOAD ( - ) " File to Load?: " FILENAME IF 1+
5   FNLLOAD TO_CONTROL SEND_MSG THEN ;
6
7 73 74 THRU
8 EXIT
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8 \ Status - Menu label procedures

```

1 : PRNTTXT .F" Print "
2 .H" Print Utility" ;
3 : MTHDTXT .F" Methods "
4 .H" Create or Modify a Method" ;
5 : LOADTXT .F" Load "
6 .H" Load a Method to Run" ;
7 : SYSTXT .F" System "
8 .H" Access to more System Functions" ;
9 : FILETXT .F" Filer " .H" Manage files" ;
10 : ISTPTXT .F" IStep " .H" Step Through the Procedure" ;
11 : EDTRTXT .F" Editor " .H" Edit Text Files" ;
12 EXIT
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8 \ Status - Screen Definition

```

1 : STAT_PROC
2   STAT-ON? NOT
3   IF CLS STAT-ON STATUS-BKG THEN ;
4
5 \ f# proc text char
6 DEFSCRN STAT_SCR STAT_PROC
7 ( 8 ) ST/STP STRTTXT 8
8 ( 1 ) PS/CNT PAUSTXT 8
9 ( 2 ) SSTEP ISTPTXT 1
10 ( 3 ) S_FNLLOAD LOADTXT 1
11 ( 4 ) FILER_SCR FILETXT f
12 ( 5 ) PRNT_SCR PRNTTXT p
13 ( 6 ) FEDIT EDTRTXT e
14 ( 7 ) HELP HELPTXT h
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8 \ Filer Screen - Load Block

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F_DEL prompts the user for the filename to delete and deletes it if possible.

```
2 : F_DEL ( - ) 1* File to Delete?: " FILENAME IF 1+ FDELETE
3 IF 1* File not Found" .ERROR THEN THEN "SCREEN @EXECUTE ;
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5 35 4 +ORIVE LOAD \ Load disk initialization
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F_FMT Will format a diskette in drive 0. INITIALIZE actually formats the disk (erasing any data), INITBAT initializes the block allocation table, and INITDIR initializes the directory.

```
7 : F_FMT ( - ) 1* Erase all data on diskette? (Y/N)* YES? IF
```

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8 1* Insert diskette in drive 0. Press return when ready"
```

```
9 KEYPRMPT 13 = IF 1* FORMATTING..." .MSG INITIALIZE
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10 INITBAT INITDIR FLUSH 1* Done" .MSG THEN THEN ;
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11

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12 79 80 THRU
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13 EXIT
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8 \ Filer - Menu Labels

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2 : RNMTXT .F" Rename " .H" Change a File Name" ;
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3 : CPYTXT .F" Copy " .H" Copy One File to Another" ;
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4 : DELTXT .F" Delete " .H" Delete a File" ;
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5 : FRMTTXT .F" Format " .H" Make a Blank Disk for Files" ;
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The filer screen displays the disk directory.

8 \ Filer - Screen Definition

```
1 : FILER_PROG
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2 STAT-OFF CLS 1 DETAILS ! SHOWDIR 0 DETAILS ! ;
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4 \ f# _proc text char
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5 DEFSCRN FILER_SCR FILER_PROG
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6 ( 0 ) ST/STP STRTTXT 0
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7 ( 1 ) PS/CHT PAUSTXT 0
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8 ( 2 ) BELL RNMTXT r
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9 ( 3 ) BELL CPYTXT c
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10 ( 4 ) F_DEL DELTXT d
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11 ( 5 ) F_FMT FRMTTXT f
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12 ( 6 ) BELL EMPTYCL 0
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13 ( 7 ) HELP HELPTXT h
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PRTBUSY When true, the printer is busy and can't be used by another task.

(FPRINT) prints all the blocks in the currently open file.

(DPRINT) prints the disk directory on the printer.

DO_PRT sets the printer busy flag and executes the given print routine. It waits for printer idle before returning.

FPRINT prompts the user for a filename, and sends it to the printer.

DPRINT queries the user before printing the disk directory on the printer. The directory is printed in detailed format.

```
0 \ Printer Screen - Load Block
1 VARIABLE PRTBUSY
2 : (FPRINT) TYPIST ACTIVATE FLIST FALSE PRTBUSY ! STOP ;
3 : (DPRINT) TYPIST ACTIVATE .DIR FALSE PRTBUSY ! STOP ;
4
5 : DO_PRT ( a --- ) TRUE PRTBUSY !
6   ! " Busy..." .MSG EXECUTE BEGIN . PAUSE PRTBUSY & 0= UNTIL
7   ! " Done" .MSG ;
8
9 : FPRINT ! " Enter File to Print: " FILENAME IF 1+ FOPEN
10  IF ! " File not found" .ERROR EXIT THEN ['] (FPRINT)
11  DO_PRT FCLOSE THEN ;
12
13 : DPRINT ! " Print the disk directory? (Y/N)" YES? IF
14  DETAILS & 1 DETAILS ! ['] (DPRINT) DO_PRT DETAILS ! THEN ;
15 109 110 THRU
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Here are the command labels that appear on the printer screen.

```
0 \ Printer - Menu Labels
1
2 : PDIRTXT .F" Directory" .H" Print File Directory" ;
3 : PFILTXT .F" File " .H" Print a Disk File" ;
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```
0 \ Printer - Screen Definition
1 : PRNT_PROC STAT=OFF CLS ;
2
3 \ ## proc text char
4 DEFSCRN PRNT_SCR PRNT_PROC
5 ( 0 ) ST/STP STATTXT 0
6 ( 1 ) PS/CNT PAUSTXT 0
7 ( 2 ) DPRINT PDIRTXT d
8 ( 3 ) FPRINT PFILTXT a
9 ( 4 ) BELL EMPTYCL 0
10 ( 5 ) BELL EMPTYCL 0
11 ( 6 ) BELL EMPTYCL 0
12 ( 7 ) HELP HELPTXT h
13
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```

ISTHELP is the disk screen number of the first helpscreen.
 #HELPS is the number of defined help screens.
 HELPARRAY contains help screen numbers for each major system screen. The 8th entry is reserved for general system help.
 Each of these help screens is a "chapter" heading, with further helpscreens available by using up or down arrow keys.
 SUBJECT points to one of the chapter screens in HELPARRAY.
 HELPSCR is the current help screen #.
 BLK>SCR displays a given disk block as text.
 HELPSUBJ selects a help chapter based on given screen number.
 FINDHELP gets current screen and selects the right help chapter.
 +SUBJ advances +n chapters from current chapter and shows help.
 Used for paging through help subjects.
 +HSCR advances +n screens from current help screen. Used to "flip" pages of help screens.

```

0 \ Help Screens - HELP Screen support
1 318 CONSTANT ISTHELP
2 9 CONSTANT #HELPS
3 CREATE HELPARRAY
4 8 ( reserved ) C, 4 ( filer ) C, 7 ( print ) C, 8 ( status ) C,
5 VARIABLE SUBJECT
6 VARIABLE HELPSCR
7 : BLK>SCR ( scr# --- ) CLS 0 0 TAB 16 0 DO 1 0 TAB DUP --
8 BLOCK 1 64 t + 64 >TYPE LOOP DROP ;
9 : .HELP ( --- ) HELPSCR ? ISTHELP + BLK>SCR ;
10 : HELPSUBJ ( scr# --- ) DUP SUBJECT ! HELPARRAY + C? HELPSCR ! ;
11 : FINDHELP ( --- ) SCR# C? HELPSUBJ ;
12 \ : +SUBJ ( n --- ) SUBJECT ? + 8 MAX #SCRNS ? MIN HELPSUBJ
13 \ .HELP ;
14 : +HSCR ( n --- ) HELPSCR ? + 8 MAX #HELPS MIN HELPSCR ! .HELP ;
15 186 187 THRU

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H_HOME returns user to original help screen keyed where he is.
 H_PGUP pages to next help subject
 H_PGDN " previous "
 H_UP pages to next help screen
 H_DN " previous "
 HELPKEYS is the function key table for help screens.

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0 \ Help - Function key table
1
2 : H_HOME FINDHELP .HELP ;
3 \ : H_PGUP 1 +SUBJ ;
4 \ : H_PGDN -1 +SUBJ ;
5 : H_UP 1 +HSCR ;
6 : H_DN -1 +HSCR ;
7
8 CREATE HELPKEYS
9 ( 88) 8 , 8 , 8 , 8 ,
10 ( 84) 8 , 8 , 8 , 8 ,
11 ( 88) 8 , 8 , 8 , 8 ,
12 ( 8C) ' H_HOME , 8 , ' H_UP , 8 ,
13 ( 98) 8 , 8 , 8 , 8 ,
14 ( 94) 8 , 8 , ' H_DN , 8 ,
15 ( 98) 8 , 8 , 8 , ' SHAPSHOT ,

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HELP displays the helpscreen keyed what the user is doing (what system screen is displayed), allows paging through the helpscreens, and waits for undefined key before redisplaying current user screen.

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0 \ Help Screens - HELP
1
2 : HELPINFO SELECTION BOX
3 . Help Keys: -----
4 . PgUP Next Prev Page * CR
5 . PgDN Prev Next Page * CR
6 . Home This Subj * CR
7 . PrtSc Print Scrn * CR
8 . Esc Exit Help * ;
9
10 : HELP ( - )
11 STAT-OFF MENU-OFF
12 HELPINFO HELPSIZE BOX FINDHELP .HELP 'FKEYS ?
13 (') HELPKEYS 'FKEYS ! BEGIN KEY -FUNCTION? UNTIL
14 'FKEYS ! WORK WINDOW
15 'SCREEN ? 0 'SCREEN ! EXECUTE ;

```

This is the Function Editor that is used to edit user defined functions written in FORTH. It can also be used to edit any general text file, including parameter files and Method files.

This editor is based on the FORTH Inc. function key editor found on Screen 72 of the Level 3 Source disk. It has been modified to use the output windows of sample prep, and uses the prep file system for all disk I/O.

```

0 \ Text File Editor - Load Screen
1
2 VARIABLE EXIT \ set true to exit the editor
3
4 74 4 +DRIVE LOAD
5 16 LOAD
6 75 4 +DRIVE LOAD
7 17 22 THRU
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0 \ File Editor - Function key table, cursor type
1 CREATE 'KEYS 58 ALLOT 'KEYS 58 ERASE
2
3 : 'FUNCTION ( k - a) 59 - 28 'KEYS + ;
4 : :K ( k) : LAST 2 2 CFA 2+ SWAP 'FUNCTION ! ;
5 : FUNCTION ( k) DUP 59 84 WITHIN IF 'FUNCTION EXECUTE
6 ELSE DROP THEN ;
7
8 HEX CREATE CT 7809 , ( cursor type)
9
10 CODE CHOICE CT 1 MOV 1 HI 1 XCHG B 1 CT MOV NEXT
11 ROP THEN ;
12 : +CURSOR ( a) 'CURSOR CT 2 cursor ;
13 : -CURSOR ( a) 'CURSOR 788 cursor ;
14 : BLINK 8888 CT +! ;
15 DECIMAL

```

LAD is the only reference to disk I/O. It messages whenever of BLOCK, but deals only with file relative block numbers.

LAD returns the address of the nth line of the current block, fetching it from the disk if necessary.

CLRL and any other word which modifies the text on the screen calls FUPDATE to mark the current disk block as modified.

The FUPDATED block will ultimately be written out to the disk when that block's buffer needs to be reused by BUFFER, either by accessing other disk blocks, or by the file CLOSE operation when exiting the editor.

The directory and disk allocation information are updated when the file is closed.

```

0 \ File Editor - Line operations
1 : LAD ( n - a) C/L 1 SCR 2 FBLOCK + ;
2 : CLAD ( - a) LINE LAD ;
3 : <ADDR ( - a) CLAD COL + ;
4 : COLS ( - n) C/L COL - ; : LINES ( - n) L/S LINE - ;
5 : CLRL ( n) DUP LAD C/L BLANK FUPDATE 0 SWAP (60)
6 C/L SPACES ;
7 : .LINE <ADDR COLS >TYPE ;
8 : .BLOCK LINE LINES DUP IF 1+ THEN 0 DO DUP 0 OVER (60)
9 LAD C/L >TYPE 1+ LOOP DROP ;
10 : xML ( n o) SWAP LAD DUP ROT + C/L <MOVE FUPDATE ;
11 : MLON ( n) C/L xML ;
12 : MLUP ( n) C/L NEGATE xML ;
13
14 65 :K -LINE <ADDR COLS BLANK FUPDATE COLS SPACES ;
15 66 :K -BLOCK -LINE LINE LINES 0 DO 1+ DUP CLRL LOOP DROP ;

```


EMPH_ON turns on both emphasized and double-strike modes.
 EMPH_OFF resumes normal printing.
 NXT_STATE points to the opposite print mode routine.
 CUR_ATR stores the current printing attribute.

NORM causes printing to be normal brightness. (the 256 is replaced by the address of BRIGHT below)
 BRIGHT causes printing to be emphasized and double struck.
 Given the next char's attribute, BRIGHTNESS will flip the printer into the proper print mode if the attribute is different from the previous char's.

.CHR prints a character, replacing a null with a blank.
 ?CHAR fetches the char and it's attribute from the screen and prints it. Note that screen memory is in different segment

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0 \ SNAPSHOT words
1 MSG EMPH_ON 4 C, 27 C, 69 C, 27 C, 71 C,
2 MSG EMPH_OFF 4 C, 27 C, 78 C, 27 C, 72 C,
3 MSG UNDL_ON 3 C, 27 C, 45 C, 49 C,
4 MSG UNDL_OFF 3 C, 27 C, 45 C, 48 C,
5 VARIABLE CUR_ATR
6 : NORM ( --- ) 7 CUR_ATR ! EMPH_OFF UNDL_OFF ;
7 : EMPH ( --- ) 112 CUR_ATR ! UNDL_OFF EMPH_ON ;
8 : UNDL ( --- ) 1 CUR_ATR ! EMPH_OFF UNDL_ON ;
9 : BRIGHTNESS ( atr --- ) DUP 7 =
10 IF NORM DROP
11 ELSE 112 = IF EMPH ELSE UNDL THEN THEN ;
12 : .CHR ( c --- ) DUP 0= IF DROP 32 THEN EMIT ;
13 : ?CHAR ( addr --- )
14 EQ DUP 255 AND SWAP 256 / ( c atr ) BRIGHTNESS .CHR ;
15 46 LOAD

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ILINE prints the given line from screen memory. Reverse video chars will be emphasized.

FULLSCR prints the entire screen.

(SNAPSHOT) is the command to be executed by the printer task to print the screen contents.

SNAPSHOT sends the command from the terminal task to the printer task.

```

0 \ SNAPSHOT - screen printing utility
1
2 : ILINE ( l --- )
3 NORM 88 1 21 DUP 168 + SWAP DO I 11 ?CHAR 2 +LOOP ;
4
5 : FULLSCR ( --- )
6 25 0 DO CR I ILINE LOOP ;
7
8 : (SNAPSHOT) ACTIVATE FULLSCR STOP ;
9
10 : SNAPSHOT TYPST (SNAPSHOT) ;
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These message tokens are used to communicate between the user and the control tasks. Messages sent to the control task consist of a command token from this list, and a pointer to a string. The text string is used to pass filenames to the file load commands, and possibly to pass a FORTH command string to a (yet undefined) command interpreter. All other commands can send a NULL pointer.

Each command sent to the control task will be followed by a response token and a text string pointer indicating success or failure upon trying to execute the command. An ACK response will send a null pointer, which can be ignored; while a NACK response will send a pointer to an error message which should be presented to the user.

```

8 \ Task Support - Message Tokens, Load Block
1
2 \ Messages to control task:
3 1 CONSTANT START/STOP \ start or stop running
4 2 CONSTANT PAUSE/CONT \ pause or continue running
5 3 CONSTANT 1STEP \ do just one step
6 4 CONSTANT MLOAD \ load a method file
7 5 CONSTANT FNLOAD \ load a function file
8 6 CONSTANT CTRLST \ reset the control task
9 7 CONSTANT #CTLCMDS \ number of defined control commands
10
11 \ Responses from control task:
12 140 CONSTANT ACK \ positive acknowledgement
13 180 CONSTANT NAK \ error!
14 116 123 THRU
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Each "message" consists of a 8 bit token, and a 16 bit string pointer.

SEND_MSG Waits until the message buffer is empty and puts the given message in the buffer. The message is taken by another task.

GET_MSG removes any message in the given message buffer and empties the buffer to allow another message to be placed.

MSGWAIT waits for a message to appear and then returns it.

The first byte of these message structures contains a message code (0 if no message waiting), bytes 1,2 are pointer to string.

TO_CONTROL contains a command for control if byte 0 not 0.

FROM_CONTROL contains the response to a command if byte 0 not 0.

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8 \ Task Support - Task Communication words
1
2 CREATE TO_CONTROL 3 ALLOT \ command to control task
3 CREATE FROM_CONTROL 3 ALLOT \ response from control task
4
5 : SEND_MSG ( ptr n a --- ) BEGIN PAUSE DUP C? 0= UNTIL
6 SWAP OVER C! 1+ ! ;
7
8 : GET_MSG ( a --- ptr n ) DUP >R 1+ 2 1-C? R) 3-ERASE ;
9
10 : MSGWAIT ( a --- ptr n ) BEGIN PAUSE DUP C? UNTIL GET_MSG ;
11
12 : CTL_ABORT
13 1 FROM_CONTROL SEND_MSG ASORT ;
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C# contains screen offset for typing to screen.

SCTAB positions C# to line, col of screen

>CRT "types" text to the screen without using FORTH's output routines. (useful for background tasks that don't have output routines defined.) Text is in inverse video.

>TERM same as >CRT but in normal video.

{# Start number formatting for output.

Format buffer is below the TOP user variable (ref FORTH scr 75)

#} Finish number formatting, gets address, count.

:00 Converts one decimal digit and one minutes digit (00 - 59)

(mins) Formats and prints the given value in the following format: 10:32 Used to display the time of day.

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8 \ Task Support - Background task CRT printing
1 VARIABLE STAT-ATTR HEX 700 STAT-ATTR ! DECIMAL
2 : SCTAB ( l c --- ) SWAP 80 + 2# C# ! ;
3 : >TERM ( adr u - )
4 2# C# ? OVER C# +! DUP ROT + SWAP DO
5 DUP C? STAT-ATTR ? OR 1 CRTSEG E! 1+
6 2 +LOOP DROP ;
7 HEX
8 : UNDO>TERM
9 STAT-ATTR ? >R 100 STAT-ATTR ! >TERM R) STAT-ATTR ! ;
10 DECIMAL
11 \ : SEXTAL 6 BASE ! ;
12 : {# ( - ) TOP PTR ! ;
13 : #} ( d --- a c ) 2DROP PTR ? TOP OVER - ;
14 \ : :00 DECIMAL # SEXTAL # DECIMAL 50 HOLD ;
15 \ : (mins) ( n --- ) 0 {# :00 # # #} UNDO>TERM ;

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C>TERM is the equivalent of EXIT for tasks without output routines

SP>TERM is the equivalent of SPACE for tasks without output routines.

CENT>TERM is the equivalent of CENTERED for tasks without output routines (CENTERED is defined in windows). This version automatically truncates strings that are too long.

```

8 \ Task Support - Background task CRT printing
1
2 : C>TERM
3 'S 1 >TERM DROP ;
4
5 : SP>TERM
6 ?DUP
7 IF 0 DO BL C>TERM LOOP
8 THEN ;
9
10 : CENT>TERM
11 2DUP C? MIN OVER C!
12 2DUP C? - 2/ SP>TERM
13 DUP COUNT >TERM
14 C? - DUP 2/ - SP>TERM ;
15

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These variables are used to maintain the system status information. For each item in the system that needs it's status displayed, there will be a variable that indicates it's current state that will be maintained by any operation that affects the item (such as turning a relay on); there will also be a variable maintained by either the status task (for status header information) or the status screen updating software that contains the currently displayed state of the item. In this way the status software can compare if the displayed state matches the current state, and update the display (and the display state variable) if they don't agree. This allows for a somewhat speedier updating loop, since only one or two items usually change for each pass through the status update loop.

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8 \ Task Support - System Status Variables
1
2 CREATE RELAYS 3 ALLOT RELAYS 3 ERASE \ Relays 1-24
3 CREATE OLDRELAYS 3 ALLOT OLDRELAYS 3 ERASE
4 CREATE RLYDEFAULTS 3 ALLOT RLYDEFAULTS 3 ERASE
5
6 VARIABLE PBUSY VARIABLE OLDPBUSY \ 1 = busy
7 VARIABLE PRATE VARIABLE OLDPRATE \ Pump flow rate
8 VARIABLE PVOL VARIABLE OLDPVOL \ Pump volume
9 VARIABLE PDIR VARIABLE OLDPDIR \ Pump direction
10
11 VARIABLE OLDTIME \ previous time of day
12 VARIABLE OLDSTATUS \ previous run status
13 VARIABLE CHANGEMETHOD \ true when a new method is loaded
14 CREATE METHODBUF MAXLEN ALLOT \ current method file name
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More system status information variables.

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8 \ Task Support - System Status Variables
1
2 CREATE RV-STAT-TBL 8 ALLOT \ Rotary valves 1-4
3 RV-STAT-TBL 8 ERASE
4 CREATE RV-DEFAULTS 4 ALLOT \ Rotary valve initial positions
5 4 RV-DEFAULTS C! 4 RV-DEFAULTS 1 + C!
6 8 RV-DEFAULTS 2 + C! 8 RV-DEFAULTS 3 + C!
7
8 VARIABLE MIXTIME VARIABLE OLD MIXTIME \ Mixing time
9 VARIABLE MIXPWR VARIABLE OLD MIXPWR \ Mixer power setting
10 VARIABLE MIXDUTY VARIABLE OLD MIXDUTY \ Mixer duty cycle
11 VARIABLE MIXBUSY VARIABLE OLD MIXBUSY \ 1 = mixer is on
12
13 VARIABLE MPMSG VARIABLE OLD MPMSG \ Method message pointers
14 VARIABLE FPMSG VARIABLE OLD FPMSG \ Function message pointers
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0 \ Task Support - System Run Status

1 HEX

2 VARIABLE RUN_STATUS \ control task status

3 \ Bits in RUN_STATUS:

4 1 CONSTANT RUNBIT \ true when running

5 2 CONSTANT PAUSEBIT \ true when in pause

6 4 CONSTANT BUSYBIT \ true when ending run

7 8 CONSTANT STEPBIT \ true when in single step mode

8 16 CONSTANT FLOADBIT \ true when loading functions

9 20 CONSTANT MLOADBIT \ true when loading a method

10 DECIMAL

11 RUNBIT PAUSEBIT BUSYBIT STEPBIT FLOADBIT + + + +

12 CONSTANT IDLEBITS \ use this mask to test for idle

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RUN_STATUS Contains bits which indicate the state of the control task.

The loading bits are used to recover from errors during a load operation. Normally, the load operation is completed and an acknowledgement is returned to the user task. But if an error occurs, the control task loop is exited and re-entered by the error handler. These bits are used to determine how to recover from the error and to send an appropriate error message.

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8 \ Status Task - Load Block
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10 2 141 144 THRU \ Relay status update routines
11 3 147 148 THRU \ Rotary valve status update routines
12 4 150 152 THRU \ Mixer status update routines
13 5 153 155 THRU \ Pump status update routines
14 6 156 158 THRU \ Programmable message update routines
15 7
16 8 127 129 THRU \ Rest of status task
17 9 EXIT
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8 \ Status Task - status header strings
9
10 2 \ These routines return the address of string for status header
11 3 : PSE_ST $* PAUSE " ;
12 4 : RDY_ST $* READY " ;
13 5 : RUN_ST $* RUNNING " ;
14 6 : SS_ST $* SINGLE STEP " ;
15 7 : STEPST $* STEPPING " ;
16 8 : BSY_ST $* BUSY " ;
17 9 : ERR_ST $* ERROR STATE " ;
18 10 : LDG_ST $* LOADING " ;
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SHOWCLOCK displays the time of day on the status header.
 SHOWSTATUS displays the run status in the header.

STTIME updates the clock if current time is different from old time.

STRUN updates the run status if current status is different from what's displayed.

```

8 \ Status Task - Status Header Updates
9 1 \ : SHOWCLOCK ( n --- ) 0 43 SCTAB (mins) ;
10 2 : SHOWSTATUS ( n --- ) IDLEBITS AND
11 3
12 4 [ RUNBIT LITERAL ] CASE IF RDY_ST ELSE
13 5 [ RUNBIT PAUSEBIT OR LITERAL ] CASE IF RUN_ST ELSE
14 6 [ RUNBIT STEPBIT OR LITERAL ] CASE IF STEPST ELSE
15 7 [ RUNBIT PAUSEBIT STEPBIT
16 8 OR OR LITERAL ] CASE IF SS_ST ELSE
17 9 [ BUSYBIT LITERAL ] CASE IF BSY_ST ELSE
18 10 [ FLOODBIT LITERAL ] CASE IF LDG_ST ELSE
19 11 ORP ERR_ST
20 12 THEN THEN THEN THEN THEN THEN THEN THEN
21 13 0 12 SCTAB COUNT UND)TERM ;
22 14 \ : STTIME @TIME OLDTIME @ - IF @TIME CUP
23 15 \ OLDTIME ! SHOWCLOCK THEN ;

```

SHOWMETHOD If the first char of the current method file name is not 0, display the filename. Name is updated by control task when a valid method is loaded.

SMETHOD updates the currently selected method name on the status header if the name has changed.

STATUSHEADER updates information at the top of the screens. Time, runtime, method name.

RUNNING is the main status task loop. It runs every .1 sec.

```

0  \ Status Task - Status Task Loop
1
2 : STRUN RUN_STATUS ? OLDSTATUS ? - IF RUN_STATUS ? DUP
3  OLDSTATUS ! SHOWSTATUS THEN ;
4 : SHOWMETHOD 0 62 SCTAB METHODBUF ? IF METHODBUF
5  ELSE " no method " 1+ THEN NMLEN UNO>TERM ;
6 : SMETHOD CHANGEMETHOD ? IF FALSE CHANGEMETHOD ! SHOWMETHOD
7  THEN ;
8
9 : STATUSHEADER ( - )
10  ( PAUSE STIME ) PAUSE STRUN PAUSE SMETHOD ;
11 : DEVICESTATUS ( - )
12  STRLYS STRLVLS STPUMP STMIXER STPHSG ;
13
14 : RUNNING ACTIVATE 2000 MS ( wait for initialization)
15  BEGIN STATUSHEADER DEVICESTATUS AGAIN ;

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BITMASK is a table of bit masks, indexed by a number from 0 to 7.

RLYBYTE# indicates which byte in the relay table we are currently indexing for status display.

RLYBYTE# takes a table address from the stack (either old or new status table) and returns the currently indexed status byte from this table.

BITMASK# returns a bitmask given a bit number (0-7) on the stack.

```

0 \ Status display - relay status updating - basic tools
1 HEX
2 CREATE BITMASK 1 C, 2 C, 4 C, 8 C, 16 C, 20 C, 40 C, 80 C,
3 DECIMAL
4
5 VARIABLE RLYBYTE#
6 ASSEMBLER BEGIN
7   W POP   W 0 ADD   0 W MOV
8   0 0 SUB   W ) 0 MOV 0
9   0 PUSH   NEXT
10 CODE RLYBYTE#
11   RLYBYTE# 0 MOV   DUP JMP
12 CODE BITMASK#
13   BITMASK # 0 MOV   JMP
14
15 FORTH

```

RLY-DISP positions the cursor at the beginning of the status display region for the indicated relay number on the stack.

```

0 \ Status display - relay status updating - display array
1
2 : >RLY-DISP ( n - )
3   12 /MOD   21 + 36 +   SWAP 6 +   SWAP SCTAB ;
4
5 VARIABLE STAT-FLAG
6 : STAT-ON? PAUSE STAT-FLAG ? ;
7 : STAT-ON 1 STAT-FLAG ! ;
8 : STAT-OFF 0 STAT-FLAG ! ;
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DISP-RELAY displays the status of relay n as indicated by the on/off value on the stack (1 = ON).

SHO-1-RLY is the same as DISP-RELAY, but n indicates a relay relative to the currently indexed status table byte.

SHO-8-RLYS takes a bitmask from the stack, and displays all relays from the currently indexed status table that are indicated by this bitmask.

```

0 \ Status display - relay status updating - display words
1 : DISP-RELAY ( on/off n - )
2   DUP >RLY-DISP 21 SWAP
3   IF 1+ THEN
4   21 CD-NAME-TBL + 2 COUNT >TERM ;
5
6 : SHO-1-RLY ( on/off n' - )
7   RLYBYTE# 0 8 + DISP-RELAY ;
8
9 : SHO-8-RLYS ( bs - )
10  RELAYS RLYBYTE#
11  8 0 DO
12    OVER 1 BITMASK# AND ?DUP
13    IF OVER AND 1 SHO-1-RLY
14    THEN
15    LOOP 2DROP ;

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CHANGED-RLYS? displays are relays in the currently indexed status table byte that have been modified since last displayed.

STRLYS displays all relays that have been modified since they were last displayed.

```

0  \ Status display - relay status updating - top level
1
2 : CHANGED-RLYS? ( - )
3  RELAYS RLYBYTE? DUP  OLDRELAYS RLYBYTE?
4  XOR DUP
5  IF SH0-9-RLYS  OLDRELAYS RLYBYTE? 2 + C!
6  ELSE 2DROP
7  THEN ;
8
9 : STRLYS ( - )
10  STAT-ON? IF
11    3 0 DO
12    I RLYBYTE? ! CHANGED-RLYS?
13    LOOP
14  THEN ;
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POS#>PORT# converts a position number (1,4,7,10) to a port number (1,2,3,4).

>RV-DISP positions the cursor at the beginning of the display region for the requested valve number on the stack.

DISP-RV displays the status of the requested rotary valve. The value given on the stack (n) is twice the value of the valve number.

UPD-RV-STAT updates the status variables for the requested rotary valve. The value given on the stack (n) is twice the value of the valve number.

0 \ Status display - rotary valve updates - basics

1 : POS#>PORT# (n -)

2 3 /MOD + ;

3 : >RV-DISP (n -)

4 3 8 + 20 SCTAB ;

5 : GET-RV-STR (n pt - a)

6 DUP 0= IF 2DROP ! Not Present * EXIT THEN

7 DUP 3 (

8 IF 1-21 SWAP 4 1 + ELSE 3 - 21 SWAP 4 + 4 1 +

9 THEN RV-NAME-TBL + 2 ;

10 : DISP-RV (n -)

11 DUP 2/ SWAP OVER >RV-DISP

12 RV-STAT-TBL + C2 POS#>PORT#

13 GET-RV-STR COUNT >TERM ;

14 : UPD-RV-STAT (n -)

15 DUP RV-STAT-TBL + C2 SWAP RV-STAT-TBL 1 + + C1 ;

469

STRVLVS displays the current status of all rotary valves whose status has changed since it was last displayed.

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0 \ Status display - rotary valve updates - basics

1

2 : STRVLVS

3 STAT-OK?

4 IF RV-STAT-TBL 7 0 DO

5 DUP 1 + C2 OVER 1 1 + + C2 = NOT

6 IF 1 DISP-RV 1 UPD-RV-STAT THEN

7 2 + LOOP DROP

8 THEN ;

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DISP-MXSTATE displays the current on/off status of the mixer.

DISP-MXTIME displays the current duration setting of the mixer.

DISP-MXPWR displays the current power setting of the mixer.

DISP-MXDUTY displays the current duty cycle setting of the mixer.

```

0 \ Status display - mixer status updating - display routines
1 : DISP-MXSTATE ( on/off - ) 13 12 SCTAB
2   IF ( HEX ) F00 STAT-ATTR ! * ON * COUNT >TERM
3     700 STAT-ATTR ! ( DECIMAL )
4   ELSE * OFF * COUNT >TERM THEN ;
5
6 : DISP-MXTIME ( n - )
7   15 13 SCTAB 0 ( # # # # ) >TERM ;
8
9 : DISP-MXPWR ( n - ) 16 13 SCTAB ( HEX )
10    0000 CASE IF * 1/4 * ELSE 0001 CASE IF * 1/2 *
11    ELSE 0100 CASE IF * 3/4 * ELSE 0101 CASE IF * FUL *
12    THEN THEN THEN THEN COUNT >TERM ( DECIMAL ) ;
13
14 : DISP-MXDUTY ( n - )
15    17 14 SCTAB 0 ( # # # # ) >TERM ;

```

472

All of the following words display their information only if this information has been modified since it was last displayed.

MX-STATE? for the mixer's current on/off setting.

MX-TIME? for the mixer's current time setting.

MX-PWR? for the mixer's current power setting.

MX-DUTY? for the mixer's current duty cycle setting.

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0 \ Status display - mixer status updating - status checks
1 : MX-STATE? MXBUSY ? DUP OLDMXBUSY ? = NOT
2   IF DUP DISP-MXSTATE OLDMXBUSY !
3   ELSE DROP THEN ;
4
5 : MX-TIME? MXTIME ? DUP OLDMXTIME ? = NOT
6   IF DUP DISP-MXTIME OLDMXTIME !
7   ELSE DROP THEN ;
8
9 : MX-PWR? MXPWR ? DUP OLDMXPWR ? = NOT
10  IF DUP DISP-MXPWR OLDMXPWR !
11  ELSE DROP THEN ;
12
13 : MX-DUTY? MXDUTY ? DUP OLDMXDUTY ? = NOT
14  IF DUP DISP-MXDUTY OLDMXDUTY !
15  ELSE DROP THEN ;

```

473

STMXIXER displays any mixer settings that may have changed since they were last displayed.

152

```

0 \ Status display - mixer status updating - top level
1
2 : STMXIXER ( - )
3   STAT-ON?
4   IF MX-STATE? MX-TIME? MX-PWR? MX-DUTY?
5   THEN ;
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DISP-PSTATE displays the current on/off status of the pump.

DISP-PVOL displays the current volume setting of the pump.

DISP-PRATE displays the current pumping rate setting of the pump.

DISP-PDIR displays the current direction setting of the pump.

```

0 \ Status display - pump status updating - display routines
1 : DISP-PSTATE ( on/off - ) 6 12 SCTAB
2 IF ( HEX 1-F80 STAT-ATTR ! * ON * COUNT >TERM
3 700 STAT-ATTR ! ( DECIMAL )
4 ELSE * OFF * COUNT >TERM THEN ;
5
6 : DISP-PVOL ( n - )
7 8 13 SCTAB 0 ( * * * * ) >TERM ;
8
9 : DISP-PRATE ( n - )
10 9 13 SCTAB 0 ( * * * * ) >TERM ;
11
12 : DISP-PDIR ( for/rev - )
13 10 13 SCTAB
14 IF * FOR * COUNT >TERM
15 ELSE * REV * COUNT >TERM THEN ;

```

475

All of the following words display their information only if this information has been modified since it was last displayed.

PUMP-STATE? for the pump's current on/off setting.

PUMP-VOL? for the pump's current volume setting.

PUMP-RATE? for the pump's current pumping rate setting.

PUMP-DIR? for the pump's current direction setting.

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0 \ Status display - pump status updating - status checks
1 : PUMP-STATE? PBUSY ? DUP OLDPBUSY ? = NOT
2 IF DUP DISP-PSTATE OLDPBUSY !
3 ELSE DROP THEN ;
4
5 : PUMP-VOL? PVOL ? DUP OLDPVOL ? = NOT
6 IF DUP DISP-PVOL OLDPVOL !
7 ELSE DROP THEN ;
8
9 : PUMP-RATE? PRATE ? DUP OLDPRATE ? = NOT
10 IF DUP DISP-PRATE OLDPRATE !
11 ELSE DROP THEN ;
12
13 : PUMP-DIR? PDIR ? DUP OLDPDIR ? = NOT
14 IF DUP DISP-PDIR OLDPDIR !
15 ELSE DROP THEN ;

```

476

STPUMP displays any pump settings that may have changed since they were last displayed.

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```

0 \ Status display - pump status updating - top level
1
2 : STPUMP ( - )
3 STAT-ON?
4 IF PUMP-STATE? PUMP-VOL? PUMP-RATE? PUMP-DIR?
5 THEN ;
6
7
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```

DISP-PMSG gets a string address and a flag that indicates whether this string is a method message string (1) or a function message string (0). It then places this string in the appropriate screen position. If the string pointer is 0, then the appropriate message area on the screen is cleared.

```

0 \ Status display - programable messages - display routine
1
2 : DISP-PMSG ( str-addr mthd/func - )
3   IF 2 9 SCTAB 68
4   ELSE 4 4 SCTAB 28
5   THEN SWAP ?DUP
6   IF CENT>TERM
7   ELSE SF>TERM
8   THEN ;
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478

STMPMSG updates the method programable message on the screen if it has been changed since last displayed.

STFPMSG updates the function programable message on the screen if it has been changed since last displayed.

```

157
0 \ Status display - programable messages - top level
1
2 : STMPMSG ( - )
3   MPMSG ? DUP OLDMPMSG ? = NOT
4   IF DUP 1 DISP-PMSG OLDMPMSG !
5   ELSE DROP
6   THEN ;
7
8 : STFPMSG ( - )
9   FPMMSG ? DUP OLDFPMMSG ? = NOT
10  IF DUP 0 DISP-PMSG OLDFPMMSG !
11  ELSE DROP
12  THEN ;
13
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```

479

STPMMSG updates status screen programable messages whenever they change.

```

158
0 \ Status display - programable messages - top level
1
2 : STPMMSG ( - )
3   STAT-ON?
4   IF STMPMSG STFPMSG
5   THEN ;
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```

BRDR-PIECE defines self editing constants for sending border characters to the screen.

All border pieces, except for the horizontal piece, are defined using BRDR-PIECE. The pieces are:
TL for top left, TC for top center, etc...

BAR-STR is a string of horizontal characters used for drawing a horizontal bar.

```

0 \ Device status - background - basic tools
1 : BRDR-PIECE
2 CREATE , ( c - )
3 DOES) @ EMIT ;
4 218 BRDR-PIECE TL 194 BRDR-PIECE TC 191 BRDR-PIECE TR
5 179 BRDR-PIECE VT
6 192 BRDR-PIECE BL 193 BRDR-PIECE BC 217 BRDR-PIECE BR
7
8 CREATE BAR-STR 20 ALLOT
9 : MAKE-STRING ( - )
10 BAR-STR 20 @ DO
11 196 OVER C! 1+
12 LOOP DROP ;
13 MAKE-STRING FORGET MAKE-STRING
14
15

```

454

DRBAR draws a horizontal bar of n characters at the current cursor position.

DRTL and DRTL draw top left and top right sections of a box respectively.

DRTOP and DRBTM draw a complete top or bottom section for a box.

DR2SD draws the two sides of a box on one line.

DR3SD is the same as DR2SD, but is used for boxes that have a vertical center divider.

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0 \ Device status - background - drawing sections
1 : DRBAR ( n - ) BAR-STR SWAP TYPE ;
2
3 : DRTL ( n - ) TL 1- DRBAR ;
4 : DRTL ( n - ) 1- DRBAR TR ;
5
6 : DRTOP ( n - ) TL 2- DRBAR TR ;
7 : DRBTM ( n - ) BL 2- DRBAR BR ;
8
9 : DR2SD ( y x n - )
10 1- >R 2DUP TAB VT
11 R) + TAB VT ;
12 : DR3SD ( y x n - )
13 1- >R 2DUP TAB VT
14 1 + 2DUP TAB VT
15 R) + TAB VT ;

```

455

PU/MIX-BOX draws a pump or mixer box at the location specified on the stack.

PUMP-BOX draws a pump box at the appropriate location, and places all the required labels and titles in and around it.

MIXER-BOX draws a mixer box at the appropriate location, and places all the required labels and titles in and around it.

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```

0 \ Device status - background - PUMP and MIXER boxes
1
2 : PU/MIX-BOX ( top left - )
3 2DUP TAB 17 DRTOP
4 OVER 1+ DUP 3 + SWAP DO
5 1 2 PICK 17 DR2SD
6 LOOP
7 SWAP 4 + SWAP TAB 17 DRBTM ;
8 : PUMP-BOX
9 4 3 TAB ." PUMP" 5 1 PU/MIX-BOX
10 6 2 TAB ." VOLUME:" 7 2 TAB ." FLOW RATE:"
11 8 2 TAB ." DIRECTION:" ;
12 : MIXER-BOX
13 11 3 TAB ." MIXER" 12 1 PU/MIX-BOX
14 13 2 TAB ." DURATION:" 14 2 TAB ." POWER:"
15 15 2 TAB ." Z DUTY:" ;

```

RV-BOX draws a single rotary valve box at the location requested on the stack, and labels it with the given number (n) on the stack.

RV-BOXES draws all four rotary valve boxes and labels them appropriately.

```

0 \ Device status - background - ROTARY VALVE boxes
1
2 : RV-BOX ( top left n - )
3 >R 2DUP TAB
4 6 DRTL 35 EMIT R> 46 + EMIT 7 DRTL
5 SWAP 1+ 2DUP SWAP 15 DR2SD
6 1+ SWAP TAB 15 DRTL ;
7
8 : RV-BOXES ( - )
9 4 28 TAB ." ROTARY VALVES"
10 19 2 4 8 DO
11 3 + 2DUP SWAP 1 1+ RV-BOX
12 LOOP 2DRCP ;
13
14
15

```

CD-BOX draws a contact device box with all its labels and titles.

```

0 \ Device status - background - CONTACT DEVICES box
1
2 : CD-BOX ( - )
3 2 48 TAB ." CONTACT CLOSURES"
4 3 35 2DUP TAB
5 7 DRTL ." FUNCTION" 6 DREAL TC 6 DREAL ." FUNCTION" 7 DRTL
6 SWAP 12 8 DO
7 1+ 2DUP SWAP 22 DR3SD
8 LOOP
9 1+ SWAP TAB 6L 28 DREAL BC 28 DREAL BR ;
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```

All the words in this and the following screen display thier respective information regardless of wether the status of any of them has been modified sinse it was last displayed.

SHO-RVLS displays the current status of all rotary valves.

SHO-MIXER displays the current status of the mixer.

SHO-PUMP displays the current status of the pump.

```

0 \ Device status - background - updates at refresh time
1
2 : SHO-RVLS ( - )
3 7 8 DO 1 DISP-RV 2 +LOOP ;
4
5 : SHO-MIXER ( - )
6 MIXBUSY 2 DISP-MXSTATE MXTIME 2 DISP-MXTIME
7 MIXPR 2 DISP-MIXPR MIXDUTY 2 DISP-MIXDUTY ;
8
9 : SHO-PUMP ( - )
10 PBUSY 2 DISP-PSTATE PVOL 2 DISP-PVOL
11 PRATE 2 DISP-PRATE PDIR 2 DISP-PDIR ;
12
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```

SHO-RLYS displays the current status of all relays.

SHO-PMSG displays both programmable messages.

```

0 \ Device status - background - updates at refresh time
1
2 : RLY-STAT ( n - on/off )
3 8 /MOD RELAYS + C0 SWAP BITMASK0 AND ;
4
5 : SHO-RLYS ( - )
6 24 8 DO
7 1 RLY-STAT 1 DISP-RELAY
8 LOOP ;
9
10 : SHO-PMSG
11 MMSG 0 1 DISP-PMSG
12 FMSG 0 0 DISP-PMSG ;
13
14
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460

STATUS-BKG paints the whole status display, and updates its contents to the current value of all devices and messages.

139

```

0 \ Device status - background - top level
1
2 : STATUS-BKG ( - )
3 \ Display all boxes and default text for background
4 PUMP-BOX MIXER-BOX
5 RV-BOXES CD-BOX
6 \ Refresh all of the actual device and message status
7 WINDOWOFF
8 SHO-RLYS SHO-RVLS SHO-PUMP SHO-MIXER SHO-PMSG
9 WINDOWON ;
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0 \ Control Task - Load Block
1
2 181 182 THRU- \ Basic tools
3 192 193 THRU \ method structure words
4 183 189-THRU \ Command processing
5 194 LOAD \ Break execution words
6 207 LOAD \ Relay Control
7 213 LOAD \ Pump Control
8 225 LOAD \ Hamilton Valves
9 234 LOAD \ Mixer Operations
10 237 LOAD \ Programmable messages
11 198 LOAD \ Task loop, initialization
12 EXIT
13
14
15

```

502

MTHPTR If not 0, points to most recent valid method.
MTHMPTR is used for displaying the name of the method.

>MTHD-NAME places the name of the method in METHODBUF.

181

```

0 \ Control Task - basics for methods
1
2 VARIABLE MTHPTR \ Points to first word of method
3 VARIABLE MTHMPTR \ Points to nfa of method
4
5 : >MTHD-NAME
6 METHODBUF MMLEN BLANK
7 MTHMPTR 3 4 + COUNT 11 MIN
8 METHODBUF SWAP MOVE ;
9
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```

503

IDLE? returns true if a method is not running.

BUSY? returns true if cycling from running to idle.

PAUSE? returns true if in pause state.

RUN? returns true if running, pausing, or stepping.

STEP? is true if in single step mode.

RSP sends a response (a message pointer and a token) to a command from the user task.

ACKRSP responds with ok if command was accepted.

NAKRSP is an error response, string is used for error message.

startrun will perform necessary processing to start a run.

endrun will do what is necessary to end a run.

notready responds with not ready error.

MTHDOK? returns true if method exists and no load errors.

MTHDERR error if the method is not ok.

182

```

0 \ Control Task - basics for status Checking
1 : statcheck ( n --- t) RUN_STATUS 3 AND ;
2 : IDLE? ( --- t) IDLEBITS statcheck NOT ;
3 : BUSY? ( --- t) BUSYBIT statcheck ;
4 : PAUSE? ( --- t) PAUSEBIT statcheck ;
5 : RUN? ( --- t) RUNBIT statcheck ;
6 : STEP? ( --- t) STEPBIT statcheck ;
7
8 \ : RSP ( ptr n --- ) FROM_CONTROL SEND_MSG ;
9 \ : ACKRSP ( --- ) !" control ok" ACK RSP ;
10 \ : NAKRSP ( ptr --- ) NAK RSP ;
11 : startrun ;
12 : endrun ( perform end run operations) ;
13 : notready TRUE ABORT" Error: not ready!" ;
14 : MTHDOK? MTHPTR 3 ;
15 : MTHDERR TRUE ABORT" Error: No Method!" ;

```


C_ST/STOP processes a start/stop command from the user.

```

8  \ Control Task - Start/Stop Run Control
1 : C_ST/STOP ( ptr --- ) DROP
2  BUSY? IF ( cant start or stop when its busy)
3    notready
4  ELSE
5    IDLE? IF ( not running)
6      MTHOOK? IF ( start a new run)
7        RUNBIT RUN_STATUS ! startrun
8      ELSE ( something wrong with the method)
9        MTHDERR
10     THEN
11     ELSE ( end the run)
12       BUSYBIT RUN_STATUS ! endrun
13     THEN
14   THEN ;
15

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C_PS/CONT processes a pause/continue command from the user.

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6  \ Control Task - Pause/Continue Run control
1 : C_PS/CONT ( ptr --- ) DROP
2  BUSY? IF
3    notready
4  ELSE
5    IDLE? NOT IF
6    PAUSE? IF
7      RUN_STATUS ? [ STEPBIT PAUSEBIT OR NEGATE 1- ]
8      LITERAL AND RUN_STATUS !
9    ELSE
10     PAUSEBIT RUN_STATUS +!
11    THEN
12  THEN
13  THEN ;
14
15

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506

C_ISTEP processes a single step command from the user.

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6  \ Control Task - Single Step Run Control
1 : C_ISTEP ( ptr --- ) DROP
2  BUSY? IF notready
3  ELSE
4    IDLE? IF
5      MTHOOK? IF \ start a run in single step mode
6        RUNBIT STEPBIT + RUN_STATUS ! startrun
7      ELSE
8        MTHDERR THEN
9    ELSE
10     RUN_STATUS ?
11     PAUSE? IF \ turn off pause to do one step.
12       [ PAUSEBIT NEGATE 1- ] LITERAL AND
13       THEN STEPBIT OR RUN_STATUS !
14    THEN
15  THEN ;

```

LAST-END contains a pointer to the address of "endmethod" in the last occurrence of END. If END is being compiled for the first time in a load, this pointer must be null.

ENDTHD initializes the control task method parameters. It empties the dictionary space of the task, clears any outstanding status messages, resets LAST-END to 0, connects the tasks dictionary to the top of the main dictionary, clears the old method name.

```
0 \ Method Execution - initialization
1
2 VARIABLE LAST-END \ Points to "endmethod" in last END
3
4 : ENDTHD
5   EMPTY 0 MTHPTR ! \ get rid of old method
6   0 MPMSS ! 0 FPMSS ! \ Clear messages
7   0 LAST-END ! \ Initialize ENCs
8   OPERATOR CONTEXT HIS CONTEXT 20 MOVE \ chain vocabulary
9   0 METHODBUF ! TRUE CHANGEMETHOD ! ; \ clear method name
10
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```

METHOD Defining word. Compiles a new method and puts its starting address into MTHPTR.

endmethod Run time code for END. Terminates method execution.

END Compiling word inserts "endmethod" as end of method definition and stops compiling the method definition. Since methods must be able to nest, "endmethod" must execute only once, at the end of the last method defined. The variable LAST-END is used to replace earlier compiled addresses of "endmethod" with EXIT, effectively converting all but the last occurrence of END into normal forth semicolons.

```
0 \ Method Execution - defining methods
1
2 : METHOD
3   HERE MTHPTR !
4   : LAST 0 0 CFA 2+ MTHPTR ! ;
5
6 CODE endmethod BUSYBIT & RUN_STATUS MOV ' EXIT JMP
7
8 : END
9   LAST-END 0 ?DUP
10  IF ('1 EXIT 2- OVER ! THEN
11  HERE LAST-END !
12  COMPILE endmethod SKUOGE R) 0= STATE ! ; IMMEDIATE
13
14
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```

break Runtime code for B; Used in place of ";" to check for pause, stop, or continue commands from the user task. Exits the command loop if stop.

B; terminates a definition, causing a "break" to process commands from the user task and to allow other tasks to run.

```
0 \ Method Execution - breaking execution
1
2 : break STEP? IF PAUSEBIT RUN_STATUS +! THEN
3   BEGIN PROCESS_CMDS BUSY? IF CTL_LOOP THEN
4   PAUSE? NOT UNTIL R) DROP EXIT ;
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6 : B; COMPILE break SKUOGE R) 0= STATE ! ; IMMEDIATE
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The upper port of the PIA generates the address and control (read/write), while the lower port is for data in/out. These constants define the I/O addresses for the 6821 PIA chip on the Data-22 AC 2 adapter card.

OUTDIR sets the PIA to all bits out for the given channel.

INDIR sets the data direction to input.

RLYSOUT outputs the data value to the PAMUX port (0-2).

(PAMUX is a parallel board connected to the PIA)

RLYSIN gets the current state of all the relays.

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0 \ Relay Control
1 HEX
2 \ direction/data      control
3 318 CONSTANT CDA      311 CONSTANT CTLA \ upper parallel port
4 312 CONSTANT CDB      313 CONSTANT CTLB \ lower
5 : OUTDIR ( a --- ) >R 0 I 1- OUTPUT 0 I OUTPUT 0FF I 1-
6   OUTPUT 34 R> OUTPUT ;
7 : INDIR ( a --- ) >R 0 I 1- OUTPUT 0 I OUTPUT 0 I 1-
8   OUTPUT 34 R> OUTPUT ;
9 : RLYSOUT ( d a --- ) CTLB OUTDIR DUP CDA OUTPUT SWAP CDB OUTPUT
10   DUP 40 + CDA OUTPUT CDA OUTPUT ;
11 : RLYSIN ( a --- ) CTLB INDIR DUP CDA OUTPUT 80 + CDA OUTPUT
12   CDB INPUT 0 CDA OUTPUT ;
13 DECIMAL 208 210 THRU
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RLY contains the relay # after RELAY is executed

PRT contains the PAMUX port address after RELAY (0-2).

MSK contains the bit mask to isolate the relay bit.

RLYUPDATE Given the new state (either on or off) for a relay, read in the current relay states for this group of 8, and set the new state for this relay. The current status for for these relays is saved in RELAYS for status updating. Note that RELAY must be executed before ON or OFF.

RELAY converts a relay number (1 - 24) into a port # and it's bit position in the port.

ON and OFF turn just the relay selected by RELAY on or off.

INIT_RLYS sets all the relays to their user selected state. (defined by the bits in RLYDEFAULTS)

208

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0 \ Relay Control
1 VARIABLE RLY \ These 3 variables are set by RELAY
2 VARIABLE PRT VARIABLE MSK VARIABLE SNS
3
4 : RLYUPDATE ( n --- )
5   MSK 2 AND \ isolate relay state bit
6   PRT 2 RLYSIN \ get current state
7   MSK 2 -1 XOR AND ( remove old state ) OR \ insert new state
8   PRT 2 2DUP RELAYS + C! ( save relay status) RLYSOUT ;
9 : RELAY ( # --- ) 1- \ Converts 1-24 to 0-23
10   DUP 0 20 WITHIN NOT ABORT? Relay # is out of range"
11   DUP RLY ! 8 /MOD PRT ! BITMASK + C2 MSK ! ;
12 : (ON) RLYDEFAULTS PRT 2 + C2 INVERT RLYUPDATE ;
13 : (OFF) RLYDEFAULTS PRT 2 + C2 RLYUPDATE ;
14 : INIT_RLYS
15   CTLA OUTDIR CTLB OUTDIR 21 1 DO 1 RELAY (OFF) LOOP ;

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530

NAMED is used to give a relay a name: " 4 RELAY NAMED METHANOL"

Later, use as: METHANOL RELAY ON

IS_OFF is used to define the state of the relay when "off".

Allows a relay to be normally on rather than off.

Use: 4 RELAY 1 IS_OFF makes "on" the default for relay 4.

Combine the two definitions: 3 RELAY NAMED WATER 0 IS_OFF

DELAY waits a given number of milliseconds before returning.

Use it in user methods rather than FORTH's MS to allow

recognizing the stop command. Quits back to main loop if stop

MS is redefined to be used as a units descriptor in a method.

Use: 5 MS DELAY or 10 SEC DELAY.

MIN waits for several minutes.

209

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0 \ Relay Control - Method words
1
2 : ON ( - ) (ON) B;
3 : OFF ( - ) (OFF) B;
4
5 : SENSOR ( # - ) 1- DUP 20 24 WITHIN
6   NOT ABORT? Sensor # is out of range" SNS ! ;
7 : (GET-SENSOR) ( - on/off ) SNS 2 8 /MOD
8   RLYSIN SWAP BITMASK 2 AND NOT NOT ;
9 : SWAIT ( on/off ) BEGIN PROCESS_CMDS BUSY?
10   IF CTL_LOOP THEN DUP (GET-SENSOR) = UNTIL DROP B;
11 : GET-SENSOR ( # - ) SENSOR (GET-SENSOR) ;
12 : ON-WAIT ( - ) 1 SWAIT ;
13 : OFF-WAIT ( - ) 0 SWAIT ;
14
15 : UPD-SENSORS ( - ) 2 RLYSIN RELAYS 2+ C! ;

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0 \ Relay Control - Method words
1
2 : NAMED ( - ) CREATE RLY ? C, DOES> ( --- ? ) C? ;
3 : IS_OFF ( t --- ) IF -1 ELSE 0 THEN MSK ? AND
4 RLYDEFAULTS FRT ? + DUP C? MSK ? INVERT AND SWAP OR ! ;
5 : DELAY ( #s --- )
6 COUNTER + BEGIN PROCESS_CMDS BUSY? IF CTL_LOOP THEN
7 DUP COUNTER < UNTIL DROP ;
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PI/O is the data input/output port for the pump controller.
 PSTS Status port for I/O.
 RCVRDY bit in PSTS is a 0 when data is available.
 XNTRDY is a 1 when it is ok to transmit to the controller.
 PREADY is a 1 when it is ok to send a pump command.
 P_STATUS? returns the I/O status flags.
 P_DATA? returns the data byte from the controller.
 P_DATA! writes a command byte to the controller.
 P_CTS? returns true if it's ok to transmit a command.
 P_RCVRDY? returns true if data waiting to be read.
 P_READY? returns true if the controller is ready.
 P_GETBYTE waits for a data byte and returns it.
 P_INFLUSH reads any remaining data bytes before returning.

```

8 \ Pump Control - Communication Words
1 HEX
2 JEE CONSTANT PI/O
3 JEF CONSTANT PSTS
4 1 CONSTANT RCVRDY
5 2 CONSTANT XNTRDY
6 4 CONSTANT PREADY
7 : P_STATUS? ( — n ) PSTS INPUT ;
8 : P_DATA? ( — n ) PI/O INPUT ;
9 : P_DATA! ( n — ) PI/O OUTPUT ;
10 : P_CTS? ( — t ) P_STATUS? XNTRDY AND ;
11 : P_RCVRDY? ( — t ) P_STATUS? RCVRDY AND NOT ;
12 : P_READY? ( — t ) P_STATUS? PREADY AND ;
13 : P_GETBYTE ( — n ) BEGIN PAUSE P_RCVRDY? UNTIL P_DATA? ;
14 : P_INFLUSH ( — ) BEGIN PAUSE P_RCVRDY? WHILE P_DATA? DROP
15 REPEAT ;          DECIMAL 214 218 THRU

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535

PMPBUF is used to build pump command strings in. First byte is count. Also contains the characters returned by the controller after a command was sent. Look here for results.
 BBUF initializes the PMPBUF
 +BUF! stores the new character and increments the string count. Nonprinting chars are ignored.
 P_XNTHWAIT flushes the input stream and waits until it's ok to transmit a new command to the controller.
 P_RESULT waits for the controller's command response (a ? or ?) A colon ":" signifies ok, while a "?" means error.

>PUMP sends the string whose address and count are on the stack to the pump. Aborts if returned char is not ":".

214

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8 \ Pump - Command Transmission
1
2 CREATE PMPBUF 20 ALLOT HERE 1- CONSTANT NBUF
3 : BBUF 0 PMPBUF C! ;
4 HEX
5 : +BUF! ( n — ) 20 MAX PMPBUF DUP C? 1+ 2DUP SWAP C! + C! ;
6
7 : P_XNTHWAIT ( — ) BEGIN P_INFLUSH P_CTS? UNTIL ;
8
9 : P_RESULT ( — n ) BBUF BEGIN P_GETBYTE DUP +BUF! 3A 4B
10 WITHIN UNTIL PMPBUF DUP C? + C? ;
11
12 : >PUMP ( a c — ) 0 DO P_XNTHWAIT DUP C? P_DATA! 1+ LOOP
13 DROP P_RESULT 3F = ABORT" pump command error" ;
14
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TESTING WORD

(# Starts formatting a double number at the end of PMPBUF.
 #) Ends formatting, string is in PMPBUF and addr, count on stack
 >STRNG converts a double number to a HEX format text string.

+CMDSTR builds a pump command string in PMPBUF given the address
 PCMD initializes command buffer and copies string to it.
 PPARM gets double number out of address and adds string to buffer
 PSEND ends a command string with a ";" and sends it to the pump.

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8 \ Pump - Command Formatting
1 \ : p_cad ( — a n ) 1 WORD COUNT ;
2 \ : XPUMP p_cad >PUMP PMPBUF COUNT TYPE ;
3
4 : (# NBUF PTR ! ;
5 : #) ( — a n ) 2DROP PTR 2 NBUF OVER - ;
6 : >STRNG ( d — a n ) SWAP OVER DABS HEX (# 8S SIGN #)
7 DECIMAL ;
8 HEX
9 : +CMDSTR ( a n — ) 0 DO DUP C? +BUF! 1+ LOOP DROP ;
10 : PCMD ( a — ) BBUF COUNT +CMDSTR ;
11 : PPARM ( a — ) 20 >STRNG +CMDSTR ;
12 : PSEND ( — ) 30 +BUF! PMPBUF COUNT >PUMP ;
13 DECIMAL
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RATE Pump flow rate in counts per second
 VOL Amount to pump in counts
 GAIN
 ACCEL Acceleration rate of pump motor in counts/sec/sec
 ZERO
 POLE
 DIRECTION contains the pump direction flag.

ML and ML/MIN set the flow and volume variables after converting from the given units to pump counts.

FORWARD and REVERSE set the pump direction parameter.

0 \ Pump - Variables

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1
2 2VARIABLE ACCEL 100000. ACCEL 2!
3 2VARIABLE GAIN 8. GAIN 2!
4 2VARIABLE POLE 8. POLE 2!
5 2VARIABLE ZERO 232. ZERO 2!
6 2VARIABLE RATE 2000. RATE 2!
7 2VARIABLE VOL 1000. VOL 2!
8 \ variable PDIR is defined in task support; 1 = forward
9
10 : ml ( n --- ) DUP FVOL ! 0 20000 1 K:/ VOL 2! ;
11 : ML ml ;
12 : ml/min ( n --- ) DUP PRATE ! 0 20000 60 K:/ RATE 2! ;
13 : ML/MIN ml/min ;
14 : FORWARD ( n --- ) 1 PDIR ! ;
15 : REVERSE ( n --- ) 0 PDIR ! ;

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538

SENDPAMP gets the address and length of command string, and address of a double variable and generates a complete pump command. Command looks like: "SP10000;". Refer to pump manual.

These commands all set pump controller variables.

SETALL sends the necessary variables to the pump.

217

0 \ Pump - Send Pump Parameters

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1 : SENDPAMP ( ap ac n --- ) PCMD PFARM FSEND ;
2 : SETFLOW RATE !* SP* SENDPAMP ;
3 : SETVOL VOL !* PR* SENDPAMP ;
4 : SETACCEL ACCEL !* AC* SENDPAMP ;
5 : SETGAIN GAIN !* GN* SENDPAMP ;
6 : SETZERO ZERO !* ZR* SENDPAMP ;
7 : SETPOLE POLE !* PL* SENDPAMP ;
8 : SETALL SETFLOW SETVOL SETACCEL SETGAIN SETZERO SETPOLE ;
9
10 : TELLPM ( ac --- ) PCMD PSEND ;
11 : P_ERROR? !* TI* TELLPM FXPBUF HEX NUMBER DECIMAL 1 AND
12 ABORT* Pump excessive position error* ;
13 : PABORT !* AB* TELLPM !* HQ* TELLPM ;
14 : P_WAIT ( - ) BEGIN PROCESS_CMDS BUSY? IF PABORT THEN
15 P_READY? UNTIL P_ERROR? ;

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539

TELLPM Sends a 2 character pump command.

PABORT is an emergency stop, turns the motor off immediately.

P_WAIT waits for operation complete, aborts if stop command.

PSTART starts a pump operation. Controls pump status flag.

PRESET causes controller to use it's default parameters.

PREVERSE pumps in reverse direction.

PFORWARD pumps in forward direction.

PDECIMAL Controller interprets numbers in decimal format.

PHEX Controller interprets numbers in Hex format (default).

PSERVO Puts controller in servo mode.

PDIRECTION sets the pump direction based on contents of DIRECTION.

PUMP sends an entire set of commands to start up the pump using the current pump parameters.

INIT_PUMP does the pump initialization.

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0 \ Pump - Pump Commands

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1
2 : PSTART TRUE PRUSY ! !* B6* TELLPM P_WAIT FALSE PRUSY ! ;
3 : P_OE 1. !* OE* PCMD >STANG +CMDSTR PSEND ;
4
5 : PRESET !* RS* TELLPM ;
6 : PREVERSE !* DR* TELLPM ;
7 : PFORWARD !* DF* TELLPM ;
8 : PDECIMAL !* DC* TELLPM ;
9 : PHEX !* HX* TELLPM ;
10 : PSERVO !* SV* TELLPM ;
11
12 : PDIRECTION PDIR 0 IF PFORWARD ELSE PREVERSE THEN ;
13 : PUMP ( - ) PSERVO PHEX SETALL PDIRECTION PSTART B;
14 : INIT_PUMP ( - ) PABORT PRESET P_OE ;
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This code is used to manipulate the parity of characters that are sent to and received from the Hamilton controller. the communication protocol for the device requires that the addressing character be sent as an odd parity, while all other characters must be sent as even parity characters. The alternate way of manipulating the parity by programming the UART is not practical for reasons of speed and synchronization.

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0 \ Hamilton valves: basics and load block
1
2 VARIABLE RDPTR
3
4 CODE >EVEN-PAR ( c - even-parity-c ) HEX
5 0 POP 0 0 AND 0
6 7B ( JPO, ODD-PAR? )
7 IF 00 0B 0 XOR
8 THEN 0 PUSH
9 NEXT FORTH
10 : >ODD-PAR ( c - odd-parity-c )
11 >EVEN-PAR 00 XOR ; DECIMAL
12
13
14 226 232 THRU \ Rest of Hamilton valve words
15

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547

RBUFF is a wrap around receiving buffer, whose length may be modified through changing RBUFF-SIZE. This buffer is filled by the COLLECT loop, running under task REMOTE.

RDPTR, WRPTR, and RCOUNT are used to maintain RBUFF. The first two are a read pointer and a write pointer into the buffer, and the last one is a count of characters received.

SBUFF is a small buffer for storing the characters that we send to the controller.

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RBUFF+ is an addition word that returns a 'wrapped around' result, corresponding to the size of RBUFF.

RBUFF? gets the nth character of the most recent unread portion of the receive buffer.

RBUFF-CLEAR clears the first n characters of the most recent unread portion of the receive buffer.

ECHO? returns true if exactly n characters have been received at the serial port.

227

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0 \ Hamilton valves: receive buffer utility words
1
2 : RBUFF+ ( n n - wrapped[n+] )
3 + RBUFF-SIZE MOD ;
4
5 \ : RBUFF? ( n - c )
6 \ RDPTR ? RBUFF+ RBUFF + C? ;
7
8 : RBUFF-CLEAR ( - )
9 WRPTR ? RDPTR !
10 0 RCOUNT ! ;
11
12 : ECHO? ( n - t )
13 RCOUNT ? = ;
14
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>SERIAL sends a single character to the controller. Note that this send is done directly to the active serial port that is being used by task REMOTE for character collection. This is done so that REMOTE can continue responding to receive interrupts without any interference.

COMMAND! stores the characters for the command in SBUF.

HAMILTON sends a command to the controller.

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8 \ Hamilton valves: command output words
1
2 : COMMAND! ( c1 c2 ... cn n - n ) DUP >R
3 SBUF + (- SBUF SNAP DO
4 ! C!
5 -1 +LOOP R> ;
6
7 : HAMILTON ( c1 c2 ... cn n - )
8 COMMAND! SCTR ! SBUF SCTR !
9 CALLER GET SBUF-CLEAR SEND>SER
10 50 MS CALLER RELEASE ;
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230

RV-# contains the current valve number

RV-STAT-TABLE contains pairs of status variables (old and new) the four valves

RV-STAT returns the address of the new status variable for the currently selected valve (RV-#)

RV-DIRECTION takes a position number and returns returns a direction character (+ or -) for the Hamilton command string. the valve will rotate either one position counter clockwise or one or two positions clockwise. The first rotation of the valve is always clockwise.

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8 \ Hamilton valves: valve variables and utility words
1
2 VARIABLE RV-#
3
4 : RV-STAT ( - stat-byte-addr )
5 RV-# 0 1- 2: RV-STAT-TBL + ;
6
7 HEX : RV-DIRECTION ( pos - direction-character )
8 RV-STAT C2 -
9 DUP -3 = SNAP 9 = OR
10 IF 2D
11 ELSE 2B
12 THEN ; DECIMAL
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These are the top level commands for the hamilton rotary valve controller. RVALVE selects a current valve as in the phrase 3 RVALVE. POSITION selects a valve position corresponding to the position numbers that appear on the top of the valve assembly, and sends the valve to that position. PORT allows the user to use conventional numbers for valve positions, namely -1- for up, -2- for right, -3- for down, and -4- for left. The following are examples of usage:

1 RVALVE 3 PORT = 1 RVALVE 7 POSITION
2 RVALVE 4 PORT = 2 RVALVE 16 POSITION

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8 \ Hamilton valves: valve driving words
9
10 : RVALVE ( valve-# - )
11 RV-# ! ;
12
13 : POSITION ( Hamilton-#-pos - ) >R
14 [ HEX ] 38 >ODD-PAR RV-# 2 38 + >EVEN-PAR
15 : RV-DIRECTION >EVEN-PAR 1 38 + >EVEN-PAR
16 0 >EVEN-PAR 5 HAMILTON
17 R> RV-STAT C!
18 [ DECIMAL ] 2000 MS
19 8 ECHO? 11 ECHO? OR NOT
20 ABORT" Hamilton Error" 8;
21
22 : PORT ( normal-#-pos - )
23 1- 3 : 1+ POSITION ;

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553

INIT-HAM-COMM is called on powerup to initialize the hamilton controller.

INIT-HAMILTON initializes communication with the controller and puts the valves into their default positions.

232

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8 \ Hamilton valves: initialization
9 : INIT-HAM-COMM
10 [ HEX ] 38 >ODD-PAR 38 >EVEN-PAR 0 >EVEN-PAR
11 3 HAMILTON
12 [ DECIMAL ] 400 MS 3 ECHO? 9 ECHO? OR NOT
13 ABORT" Hamilton power error"
14 [ HEX ] 38 >ODD-PAR 49 >EVEN-PAR 0 >EVEN-PAR
15 3 HAMILTON
16 [ DECIMAL ] 250 MS 6 ECHO? NOT
17 ABORT" Hamilton init error" ; DECIMAL
18 : INIT_HAMILTON ( - )
19 500 MS INIT-HAM-COMM
20 5 : DO
21 1 RVALVE RV-DEFAULTS 1 1- + C! 30UP
22 IF PORT 2000 MS THEN
23 LOOP ;

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555

MX-MSB and MX-LSB contain the numbers for the relays that are used to control the mixing power.

MX-RLY contains the number of the relay that turns the mixer on or off.

1/4 is used to set MX-MSB to 0 and MX-LSB to 0.

1/2 is used to set MX-MSB to 0 and MX-LSB to 1.

3/4 is used to set MX-MSB to 1 and MX-LSB to 0.

FULL is used to set MX-MSB to 1 and MX-LSB to 1.

234

0 \ Mixer operations - constants, load block

```

1
2      18 CONSTANT MX-MSB
3      19 CONSTANT MX-LSB
4      20 CONSTANT MX-RLY
5
6 KEY  0000 CONSTANT 1/4
7      0001 CONSTANT 1/2
8      0100 CONSTANT 3/4
9      0101 CONSTANT FULL    DECIMAL
10
11 235 236 THRU \ Rest of mixer operations
12
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556

SET-PWR-BIT turns one of the power control relays on or off as needed.

MIX-CYCLE turns the mixer on and off for one complete duty cycle. If the duty percentage is 100, then the mixer is left on.

235

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0 \ Mixer operations - basics
1
2 : SET-PWR-BIT ( on/off rly# - )
3   SWAP 255 AND
4   IF RELAY (ON) ELSE RELAY (OFF) THEN ;
5
6 : MIX-CYCLE ( n - )
7   MXDUTY ? 10 :
8   MX-RLY RELAY (ON) DUP DELAY
9   1000 SWAP - ?DUP
10  IF MX-RLY RELAY (OFF) DELAY THEN ;
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XDUTY determines the duty cycle percentage for the mixing operation.

POWER determines the power setting of the mixer.

SECONDS and SECOND determine the mixer's duration of operation.

MIX activates the mixer using the current parameters found in the mixer variables MXDUTY, MXPWR, and MIXTIME.

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0 \ Mixer operations - top level operations
1 : XDUTY ( n - )
2   MXDUTY ! ;
3
4 : POWER ( n - )
5   MXPWR ! ;
6
7 : SECONDS ( n - )
8   MIXTIME ! ;      : SECOND SECONDS ;
9
10 : MIX ( - )
11  1 MXBUSY !
12  MXPWR ? DUP >X MX-MSB SET-PWR-BIT MX-LSB SET-PWR-BIT
13  MIXTIME ? 2 DO MIX-CYCLE LOOP MX-RLY RELAY (OFF)
14  MX-MSB RELAY (OFF) MX-LSB RELAY (OFF)
15  0 MXBUSY ! B;
```

Read the year and set the FORTH system year.
Read the time and set FORTH's clock.

The MONTHS array is used to convert the current day and month into FORTH's internal date format. Refer to screens 30 and 31 in the Level 3 listing.

SETDATE gets the current day and month from the battery clock on the AST card and sets FORTH's date.

Initialize FORTH's day, date, and time from the AST card clock.
Sample prep

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These definitions are for the AST SixPac Plus card with the Ricoh RP5C15 clock chip.
CLK2 reads a value from one of the AST card clock registers.

Read the Year
Month
Day
Hour
Minute
Second from the Battery clock.

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0 \ Clock - Set FORTH'S time and date
1
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3 : SETYEAR YR2 1980 + A.D. ;
4 : SETTIME HR2 100 + MN2 + 0 PST ;
5
6 CREATE MONTHS
7   0 , 0 , 31 , 59 , 90 , 120 , 151 , 181 , 212 , 243 , 273 .
8   304 , 334 , 367 ,
9
10 : SETDATE DY2 MO2 21 MONTHS + 2 50 OVER < LEAP 2 1 +
11   JAN2 2 + + NOW ;
12
13 SETYEAR SETTIME SETDATE
14 FORGET CLK2
15
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0 \ AST Card Clock Calendar words - For RICOH RP5C15 chip
1 \ ( for newer AST Six Pack Plus cards)
2 HEX
3 : CLK2 ( a --- n ) 2C0 OUTPUT 2C1 INPUT 0F AND ;
4 DECIMAL
5 : 2D6TS ( a --- n ) DUP CLK2 16 + SWAP 1- CLK2 + ;
6 : YR2 ( --- yr ) 12 2D6TS ;
7 : MO2 ( --- mo ) 10 2D6TS ;
8 : DY2 ( --- dy ) 8 2D6TS ;
9 : HR2 ( --- hr ) 5 2D6TS ;
10 : MN2 ( --- mn ) 3 2D6TS ;
11 : SC2 ( --- sc ) 1 2D6TS ;
12 EXIT
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0 \ AST Card Clock Calendar words - For National MM58167A chi
1 \ (for older AST Six Pack Plus cards)
2 HEX
3 : CLK2 ( a --- n ) 2C0 + INPUT ;
4 DECIMAL
5 : CLVAL ( a --- n ) CLK2 DUP 16 / 18 + SWAP 15 AND + ;
6 : YR2 ( --- yr ) 10 CLK2 88 + ;
7 : MO2 ( --- mo ) 7 CLVAL ;
8 : DY2 ( --- dy ) 6 CLVAL ;
9 : HR2 ( --- hr ) 4 CLVAL ;
10 : MN2 ( --- mn ) 3 CLVAL ;
11 : SC2 ( --- sc ) 2 CLVAL ;
12 EXIT
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*QUIT is a user variable in each task that contains the address to rectute when an error occurs.

The error handler for each task should process the error if possible; saving state information for debugging (like SCR, DIN, etc!; and re-enter the main task loop to allow recovery. This will prevent system lockups on errors.

Initialized to QUIT for now (normal FORTH system error response) ERRORS is executed when ABORT is called. It gets the error routine address for this task and starts interpreting it. Modify the ABORT routine in FORTH to vector to ERRORS instead of QUIT.

SYSTEM NOTE: If the FORTH system is ever recompiled, the ABORT routine itself should be modified to implement the above behaviour. It is not good practice to poke in code changes after the system is up and running.

0 \ System Error Handling

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2 ' QUIT 'QUIT !

3 : QUIT 'QUIT ? >R ;

4 ' QUIT ' ABORT 7 + !

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6 ' (abort) "ABORT !

7 : ABORTS "ABORT EXECUTE ;

8 ' ABORTS 2- ' abort 2+ !

9

10 CODE RESET U R MOV \ clear the return stack

11 SO U) S MOV \ clear parameter stack

12 0 0 SUB 0 PUSH \ put a safety 0 on stack

13 NEXT

14 \ copy of definition in screen 98 level 4 listing.

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These definitions are the same as screen 77 in FORTH-level 3 listing, except that FUPDATE is used in place of UPDATE when writing to a disk file.

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8 \ File Editor - Line & character operations
1 67 :K LKOLD CLAD 'LINE C/L MOVE ;
2 : (DUPL) LINES ?DUP IF 0 DO 14 1 - MODN LOOP THEN ;
3 61 :K INSL (DUPL) LINE CLRL .BLOCK ;
4 63 :K DUPL (DUPL) .BLOCK ;
5 64 :K SPLIT LINES IF (DUPL) -LINE CLAD C/L +
6 COL BLANK. LINE +L .BLOCK L! ! THEN ;
7 62 :K XL LKOLD LINES ?DUP IF 0 DO LINE I + 1+ XLUP LOOP
8 THEN L/S LAD C/L BLANK .BLOCK ;
9 83 :K XC <ADDR DUP DUP 1+ SWAP COLS 1- MOVE
10 BL SWAP COLS 1- + C! FUPDATE .LINE ;
11 : INSERT ( c ) DUP EXIT MODE C? IF COLS 1- IF <ADDR DUP
12 DUP 1+ COLS 1- <MOVE C! +C FUPDATE .LINE ELSE <ADDR C!
13 THEN ELSE <ADDR C! +C THEN FUPDATE ;
14 : xDELETE -C 60 MODE C? IF XC ELSE BL <ADDR C! FUPDATE
15 SPACE THEN ;

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EOL and PUT are the same except for FUPDATE.

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8 \ File Editor - Display function keys
1 79 :K EOL CLAD C/L -TRAILING DUP IF 1+ THEN 63 MIN C! !
2 DROP ;
3 : ?VISIBLE ( c - c t ) DUP 31 127 WITHIN ;
4 68 :K PUT C/L 0 DO 'LINE I + C? ?VISIBLE NOT IF
5 2R> 2DROP BELL EXIT THEN DROP LOOP
6 MODE C? DUP IF (DUPL) THEN 'LINE CLAD C/L MOVE FUPDATE
7 IF .BLOCK ELSE 0 C! ! 60 .LINE THEN ;
8
9 : .MODE 17 38 TAB MODE C? IF ." Insert "
10 ELSE ." Replace" THEN ;
11
12 : XDISPLY ( scr# ) PAGE (FLIST) .MODE ;
13
14 : XEDIT FCLOSE WORK WINDOW
15 'SCREEN 0 0 'SCREEN ! EXECUTE ;

```

.MODE displays the current editing mode on the bottom line of editing window

XDISPLY types the contents of the nth screen of the current file

XEDIT is called when leaving the editor to close the file, put the window back in order, and rebuild the current screen.

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ESCAPE sets the exit flag so we'll leave the editor.

(edit) is the editor command interpreting loop. It gets key strokes, updates the cursor position, and executes function keys until the exit flag is set

XEDIT throws 2 return addresses away off the stack and reenters the editing loop.

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8 \ File Editor - Command Interpreter
1 ~ : CASE ( n n - n 0, t ) OVER - IF 0 ELSE DROP 1 THEN ;
2 : INSERTION ( c ) ?VISIBLE IF INSERT
3 ELSE 13 CASE IF ( Return ) 0 C! ! +L
4 ELSE 12 CASE IF ( Sksp ) xDELETE
5 ELSE 09 CASE IF ( Tab ) +C +C +C
6 ELSE 153 CASE IF ( ESC ) TRUE EXIT !
7 ELSE 14 CASE IF ( PrtSc ) CHOICE
8 THEN THEN THEN THEN THEN THEN ;
9 : FKEY ( - k, k -1 ) KEY 'KEY C? 58 ) IF ( Function key)
10 DROP 'KEY C? -1 THEN ;
11 : (edit) ( blk# ) . HOME XDISPLY BEGIN 60
12 +CURSOR FKEY -CURSOR DUP 1+ IF INSERTION
13 ELSE DROP FUNCTION THEN EXIT ? UNTIL ;
14 CODE XEDIT ' (edit) 2+ 0 1 NOV 4 0 R ADD NEXT
15

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cant do an empty-buffers without loosing directory and BAT information too. Solution is to Copy the existing file to a "xxxx.BAK" file, edit that one, and just delete it if the user wants to forget any changes.

*2 (the plus function key) is supposed to flip between a screen and it's shadow or documentation block. In FORTH, the convention is to have documentation blocks a fixed offset above source blocks (typically 1 drive higher so that source and documentation are on separate drives). How should documentation blocks be handled? Perhaps a different file type where the source code would be in "xyzabc.txt" and it's shadow would be in "xyzabc.doc". This means we need multiple open files, which the file system doesn't currently support.

```

0 \ File Editor - Function keys
1 ( Key 59) ' FLUSH 59 'FUNCTION !
2
3 \ 60 :K RECALL EMPTY-BUFFERS 0 pg >EDIT ;
4 73 :K UP 1 pg >EDIT ;
5 81 :K DOWN -1 pg >EDIT ;
6 \ 76 :K +Q (Q) >EDIT ;
7 82 :K /MODE - MODE C? 0= MODE C! .MODE ;
8
9 9 14 KEYS + C!

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EDMENU displays the editing commands in the selection window.

FEDIT is the main entry point to the editor. It tries to open an existing file and if it is not found, it prompts before creating a new file.

```

0 \ File Editor - Menu Display, Entry point
1 : EDMENU ( - )
2 SELECTION BOX (PAGE)
3 ." COMMANDS: _____"
4 ." F1: FLUSH F2: RECALL F3: SPREAD "
5 ." F4: DEL LINES: DUP LINES: SPLIT F7: DEL EOL F8: DEL EOS"
6 ." F9: HOLD F10: PUT ESC: EXIT " ;
7
8 : (FEDIT) STAT-OFF MENU-OFF
9 FALSE EXIT ! EDMENU EDITING WINDOW 0 (edit) XEDIT ;
10
11 : FEDIT OPEN? 1" Enter Filename: " FILENAME IF 1+ DUP FOPEN
12 IF 1" Create a new file? (Y/N)" YES? NOT
13 IF DROP EXIT THEN FCREATE IF
14 1" Create Error" .ERROR EXIT THEN
15 ELSE DROP THEN (FEDIT) THEN ;

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SET-MPMSG sets method message to the address of in line string.

SET-FPMSG sets function message to the address of in line string.

BRKT-STR compiles a sharp bracket delimited ((str...)) string from the input stream into the dictionary.

```

0 \ Programmable method and function messages - basics
1
2 : SET-MPMSG ( - )
3   1 ?R? MPMSG ! ;
4
5 : SET-FPMSG ( - )
6   1 ?R? FPMSG ! ;
7
8 : BRKT-STR
9   -1 >IN +! 60 WORD DROP 62 STRING ;
10
11
12 238 LOAD \ Message turnoff commands
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MESSAGE compiles a message and makes it the method message at execution time.

MESSAGE-OFF turns off the method message, if any.

FMESSAGE compiles a message and makes it the function message at execution time.

FMESSAGE-OFF turns off the function message, if any.

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0 \ Programmable method and function messages - top level
1
2 : MESSAGE ( - )
3   COMPILE SET-MPMSG BRKT-STR ; IMMEDIATE
4
5 : MESSAGE-OFF ( - )
6   0 MPMSG ! ;
7
8 : FMESSAGE ( - )
9   COMPILE SET-FPMSG BRKT-STR ; IMMEDIATE
10
11 : FMESSAGE-OFF ( - )
12   0 FPMSG ! ;
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RV-NAME-TBL is a table of pointers to strings that contain the names for the rotary valve positions.

CD-NAME-TBL is a table of pointers to strings that contain the names for the contact device positions.

These load commands compile new strings and put their addresses in the given table.

```

8 \ System configuration tables and load screen
1
2 241 LOAD \ String table generation words
3
4 CREATE RV-NAME-TBL 32 ALLOT
5 CREATE CD-NAME-TBL 96 ALLOT
6
7 RV-NAME-TBL 388 LOAD \ Rotary valve names
8 CD-NAME-TBL 381 LOAD \ Contact device functions 1-12
9 CD-NAME-TBL 48 + 382 LOAD \ Contact device functions 13-24
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IS-PTR is a pointer to the location at which we compile the string's address. It serves as an index into a table.

IS-LEN is the required length of the strings that are being compiled.

CONFIGURE and CHARACTER set IS-PTR and IS-LEN in a clean syntax. See the last note in this block.

CSTRING compiles a string and places its address into a table, advancing IS-PTR for the next string.

STRINGS compiles the required number of strings.

The syntax of usage is: CONFIGURE n a CHARACTER STRINGS. The address of the table is given on the stack before starting.

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0 \ Configuration tables - creating string tables
1 VARIABLE IS-PTR
2 VARIABLE IS-LEN
3
4 : CONFIGURE
5   IS-PTR ! ;
6 : CHARACTER
7   IS-LEN ! ;
8
9 : CSTRING
10  -2 ALLOT -1 >IN +! 68 WORD DROP
11  HERE 2+ IS-LEN ? BLANK 62 WORD
12  IS-LEN ? OVER C! IS-PTR ? ! 2 IS-PTR +!
13  IS-LEN ? 1+ 2+ ALLOT ;
14 : STRINGS
15  0 DO CSTRING LOOP ;

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0 \ Configuration screen for rotary valve names

1 CONFIGURE 16 13 CHARACTER STRINGS

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3 valve# :

Port #1

Port #2

4

5	1	< Fill Sprayer >	< To Waste >
6	2	< Solvent #2 >	< To LC Loop >
7	3	< >	< >
8	4	< >	< >

9

10 valve# :

Port #3

Port #4

11

12	1	< Sample Line >	< Sample Loop >
13	2	< LC Bypass >	< Solvent #1 >
14	3	< >	< >
15	4	< >	< >

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0 \ Configuration screen for contact device functions 1 thru 12

1 CONFIGURE 24 20 CHARACTER STRINGS

2 cd# :

OFF function

ON function

3

4	1	<1: Sample Loop Bypass>	<1: Sample Loop >
5	2	<2: Sample Loop Bypass>	<2: Sample Loop >
6	3	<3: Manifold - Cup >	<3: Cup To Waste >
7	4	<4: Pump - Manifold >	<4: Gas To Manifold >
8	5	< >	< >
9	6	<6: Fill Gas Reserve >	<6: Empty Gas Reserve >
10	7	<7: Pressurize Sprayer>	<7: Spray >
11	8	< >	< >
12	9	< >	< >
13	10	< >	< >
14	11	<11: Vent Cup >	<11: Pressurize Cup >
15	12	< >	< >

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0 \ Configuration screen for contact device functions 13 thru 24

1 CONFIGURE 24 20 CHARACTER STRINGS

2 cd# :

OFF function

ON function

3

4	13	< >	< >
5	14	< >	< >
6	15	< >	< >
7	16	< >	<16: LC Fill Position >
8	17	< >	<17: LC Inject >
9	18	< >	< >
10	19	< >	< >
11	20	< >	< >
12	21	< >	< >
13	22	< OFF >	< ON >
14	23	< OFF >	< ON >
15	24	< OFF >	< ON >

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8 <<<< HELP FOR STATUS SCREEN >>>>
1
2 This is the System Status Screen. The display shows the
3 current state of each system element.
4
5 F1 is the Start/Stop key. Use it to control method operation.
6 F2 is the Pause/Continue key. Use it to suspend a run.
7 F3 allows a direct command to be entered (for debugging only).
8 F4 allows exiting back to the FORTH system.
9 NUM LOCK causes the current screen display to be copied to the
10 printer.
11 <- ->. Keys move the command selector across the menu.
12 + Causes the currently selected command to be executed
13 - or ESC Exits the current Screen.
14 Type the first character of the command name to execute it
15 [ Hit Any Key to Exit the Help Screens ]

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1 This is second status help screen.
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1 This is third status help screen.

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1 This is fourth status help screen.

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<<<< HELP FOR FILER SCREEN >>>>

1

2 The filer provides some utility commands for manipulating disk
3 files. Files can be copied, deleted and renamed, and a new disk
4 can be formatted.

5 The directory listing of the disk is displayed. If there are
6 more files than can be shown on the screen at one time, you can
7 use the page up or page down keys to see them.

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[Hit Any Key to Exit the Help Screens]

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4
5
6
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0 <<<< HELP FOR PRINTER SCREEN >>>>
1
2 The printer utility allows files and disk directories to be
3 sent to the printer.
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7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15 [Hit Any Key to Exit the Help Screens]

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(Sample Prep Task definitions)

380 TERMINAL PSTATUS
PSTATUS CONSTRUCT

2860 TERMINAL CONTROL
CONTROL CONSTRUCT

: HALT ACTIVATE STOP ;

\ 6387 PSTATUS 'TYPE HIS !
\ 'TAB 2 PSTATUS 'TAB HIS !

0 ~~~~~
1 ~~~~~
2 ~~~~~
3 ~~~~~
4 ~~~~~
5 ~~~~~
6 ~~~~~
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15 ~~~~~

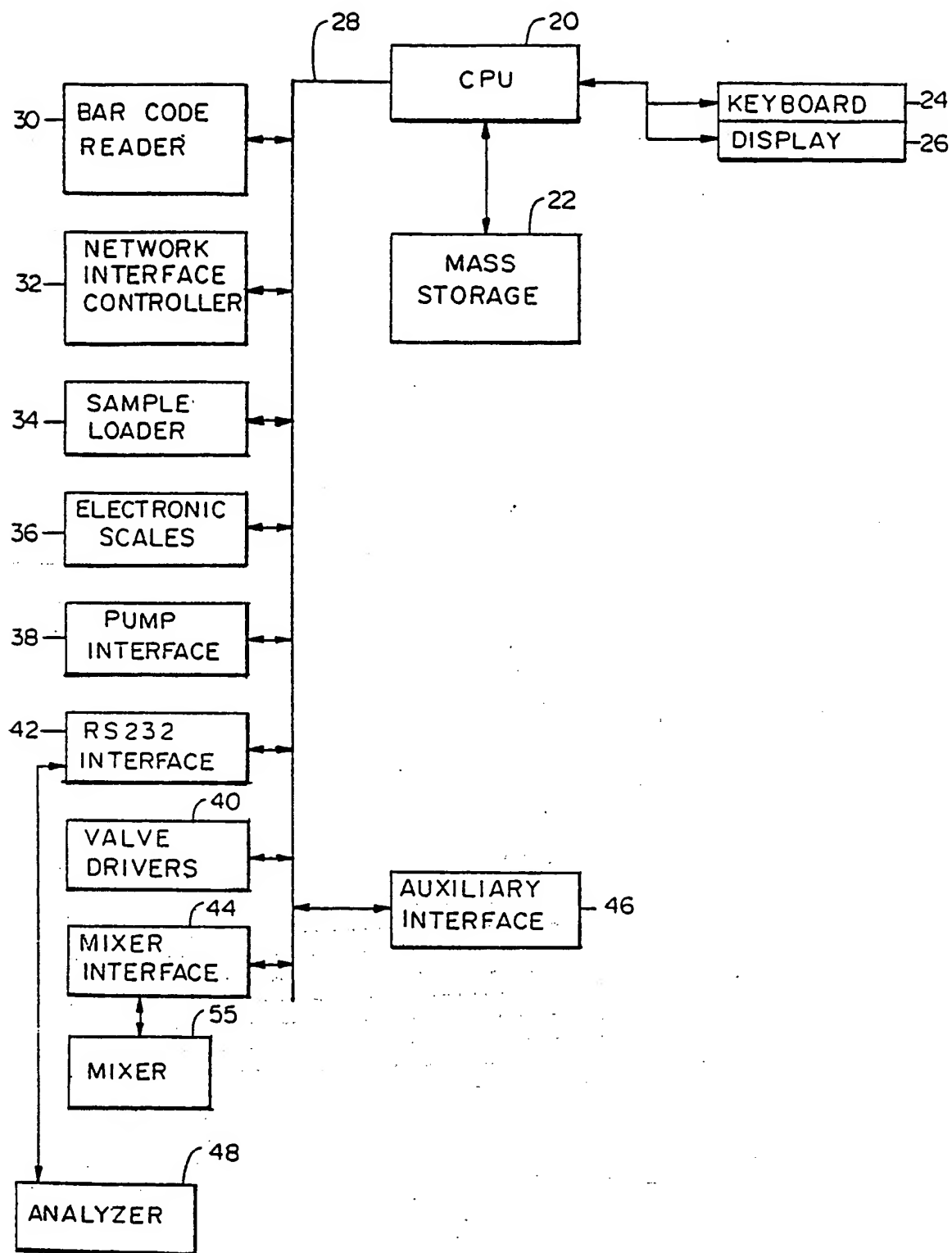
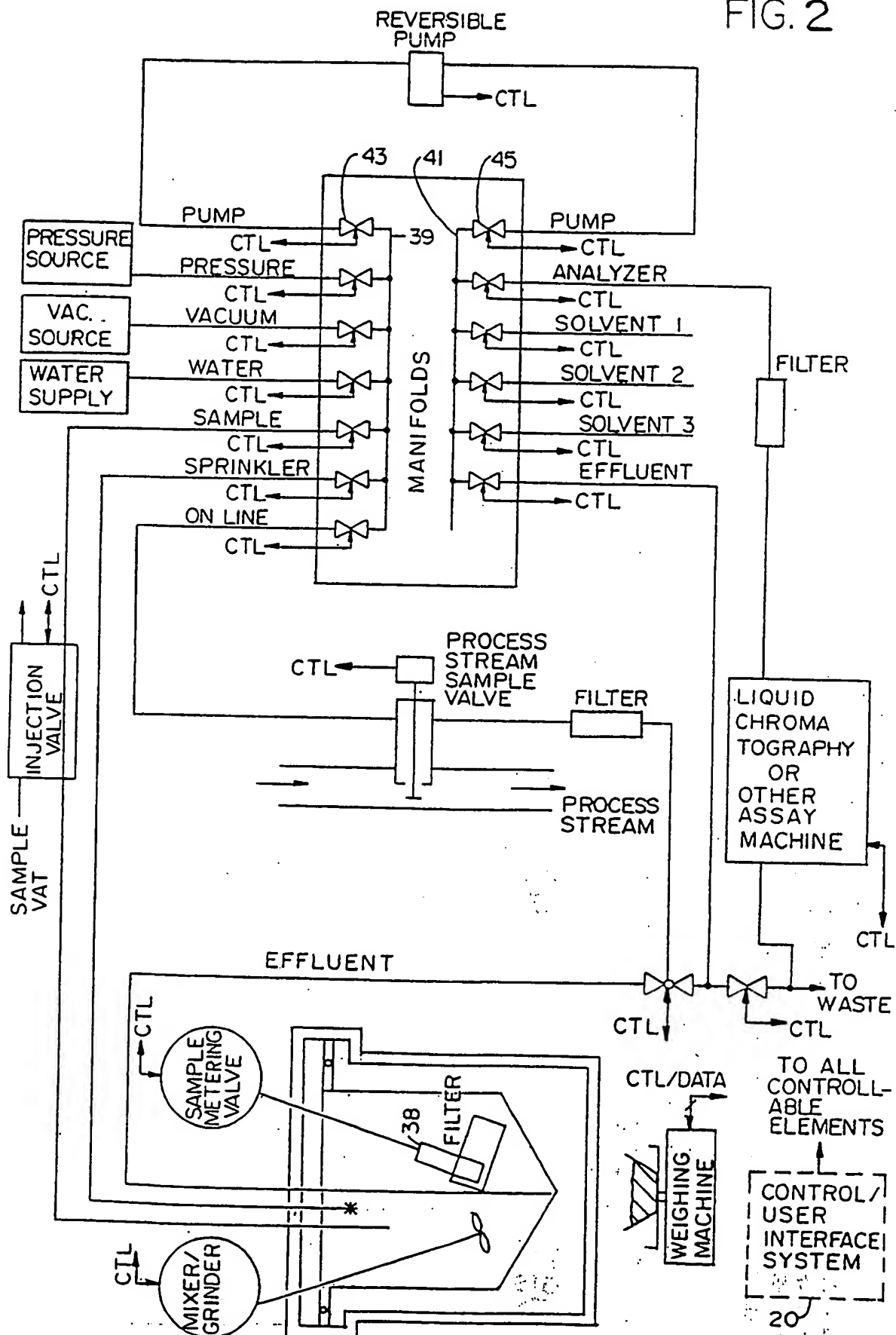


FIG. 1

FIG. 2



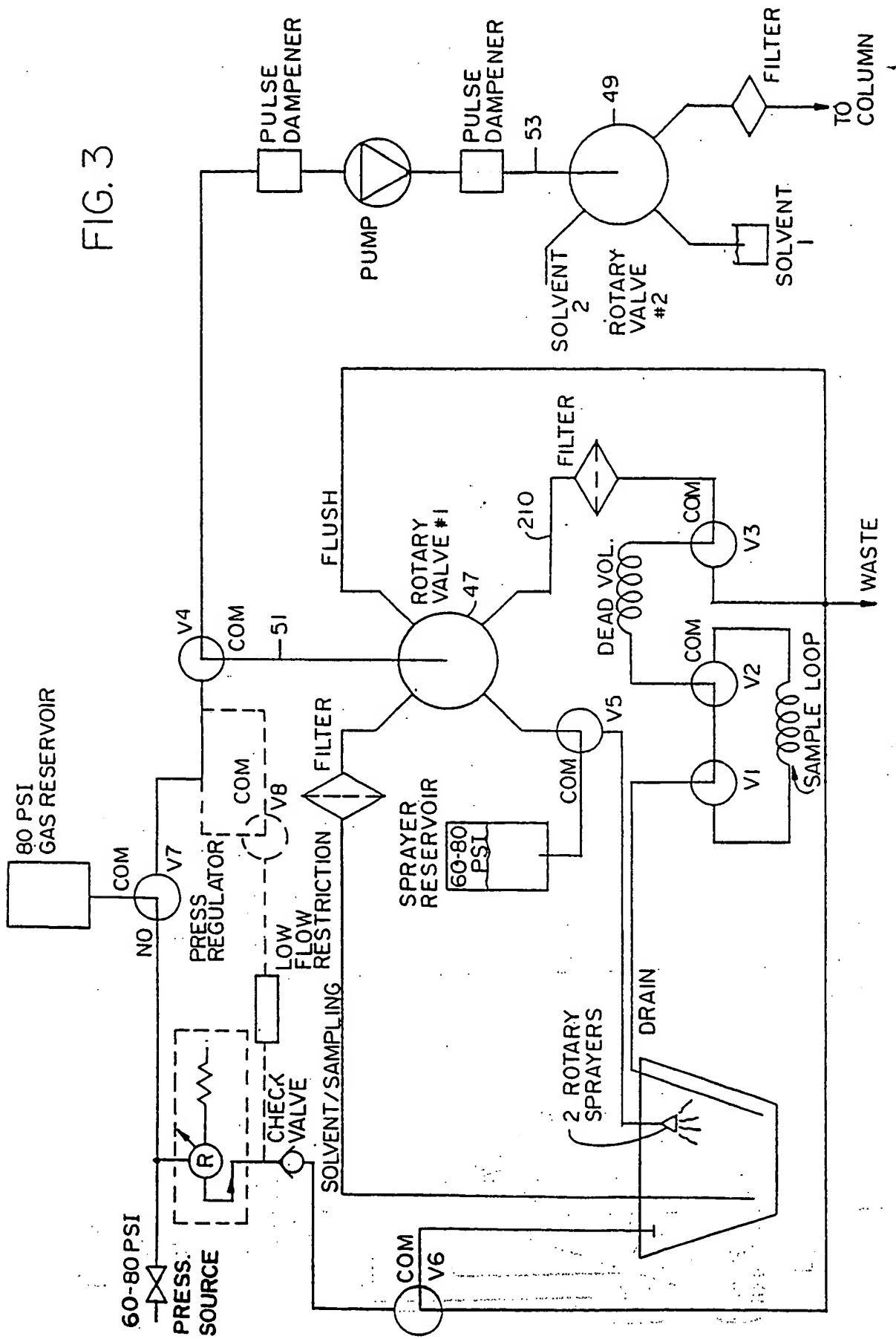


FIG. 3

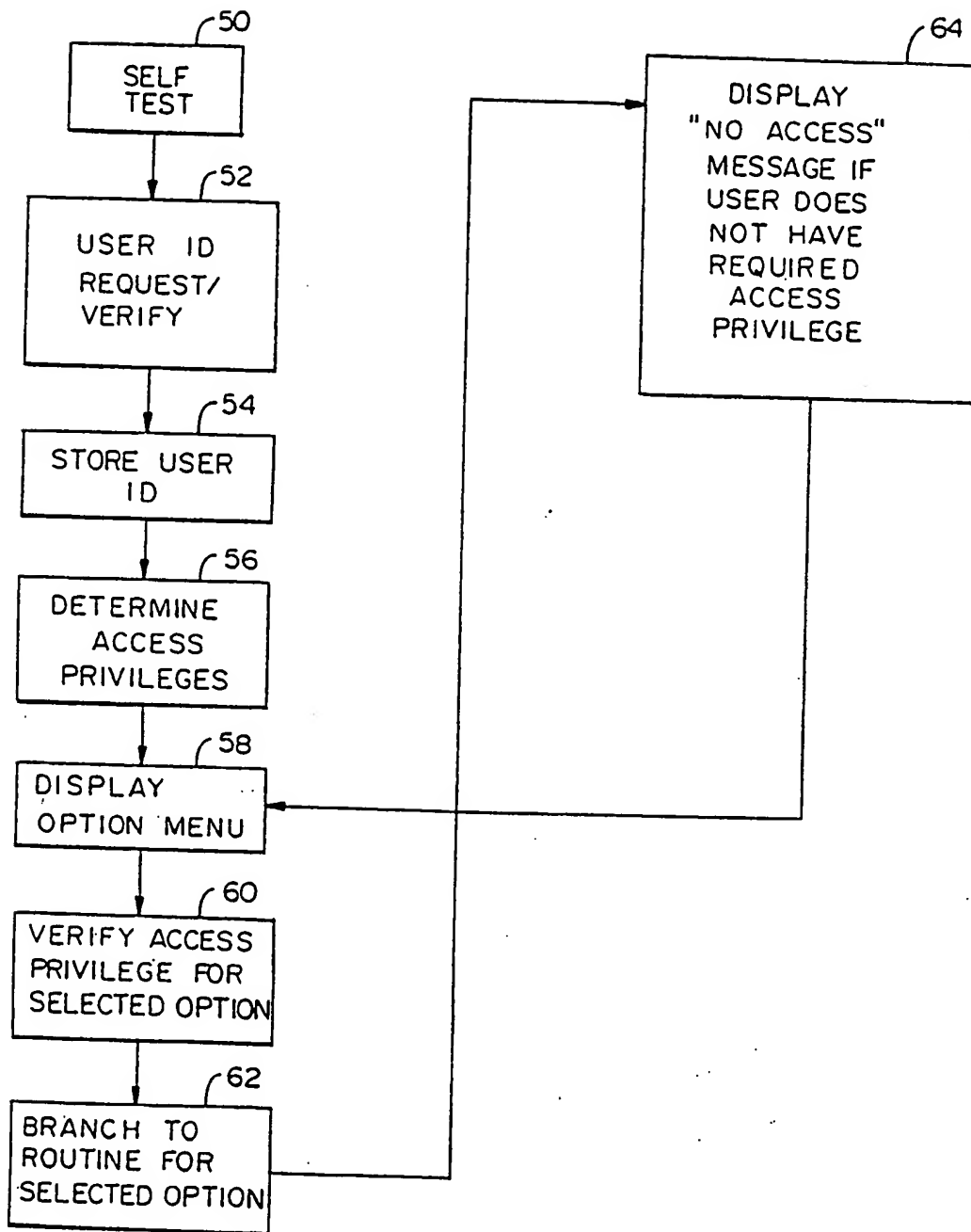


FIG. 4

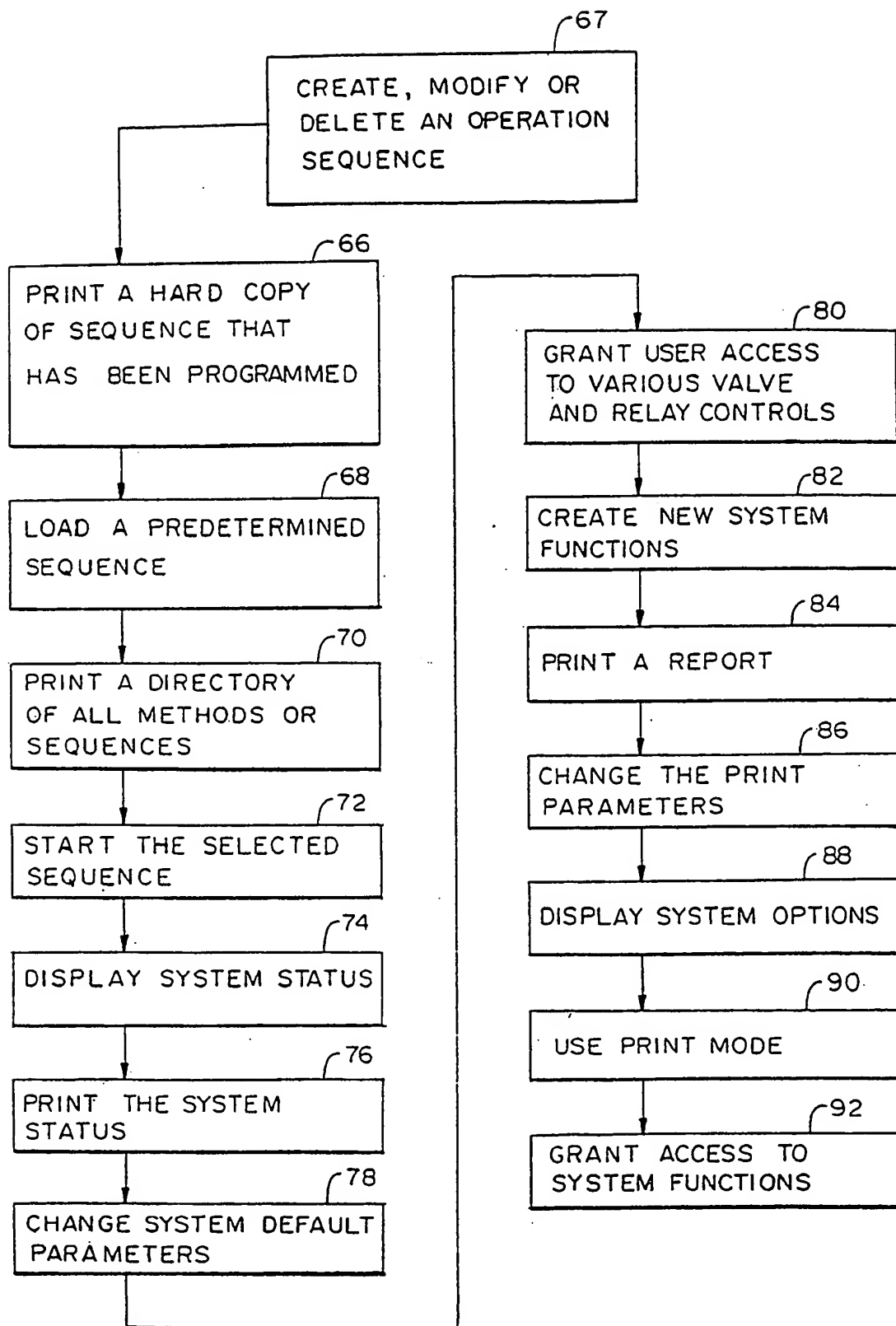


FIG. 5

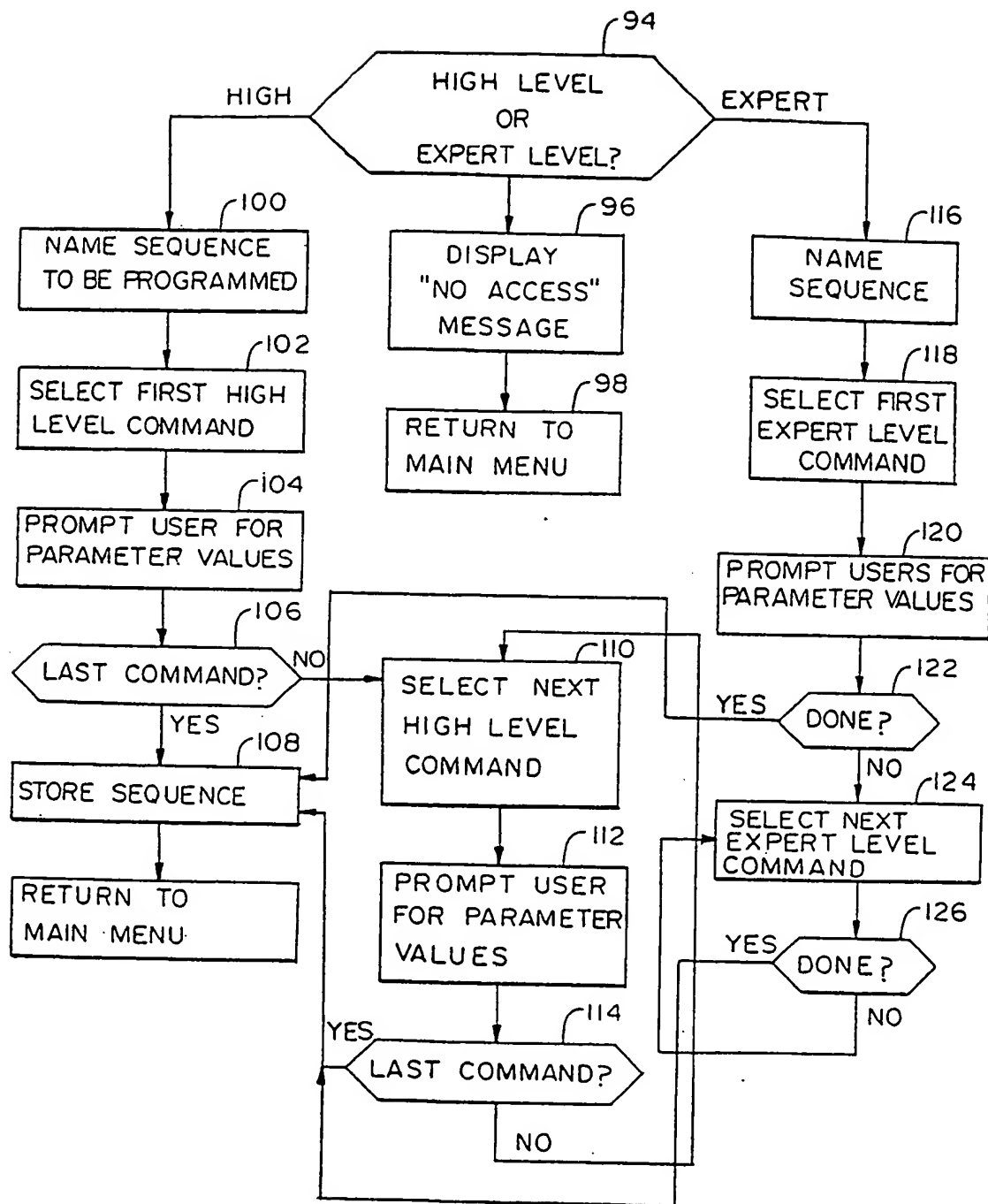


FIG. 6



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